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HIGHER

Goes the List of the Victims of the Walla Walla Disaster.

Seventy-three Still Missing.

Tugs are Still Out Searching for Rafts from the Wrecked Steamer But Hope for More Rescues is Practically Abandoned.

Eureka, Cal., Jan. 4.—None of the missing rafts or boats of the wrecked ship Walla Walla had been heard from up to 7 o'clock this morning. A number of tugs and steamers are continuing the search in the vicinity of the disaster, but hope is practically abandoned. The missing are: Cabin passengers, 12; stowaways, 26; crew, 10; total 48.

EARLY REPORTS

Indicate That Only About Twenty Lives Were Lost.

San Francisco, Jan. 4.—The collision at sea early Thursday morning between the steamer Walla Walla and an unknown sailing vessel resulted in the sinking of the steamer and the probable loss of at least 20 lives. The Walla Walla, owned by the Pacific Coast Steamship company, sailed from San Francisco Jan. 1 for Puget sound ports. She carried 36 passengers, 25 stowaways and a crew of 30 men. When off Cape Mendocino, on the California coast, at 4:15 a. m. Thursday an iron bark, believed to be French, loomed up in the haze and crashed into the Walla Walla's bow. Then the rafting vessel slid off into the darkness and was seen no more. All the passengers and crew of the Walla Walla claim the few on which were afloat, but were rescued by the tug, the only survivors known to be alive. The French vessel was seen by the tug, and it is believed that the crew of the French vessel were rescued. The Walla Walla was valued at about \$250,000. She was formerly used as a collier, and about 10 years ago was converted into a passenger vessel at a cost of \$175,000. The vessel was insured for about \$250,000.

and the small boats could not make a landing on the shore, a few miles distant. They drifted all day and finally 65 people were picked up by the steamer Dispatch, which took them to Eureka. Another boat under command of Engineer Brown, and containing 12 persons, attempted to land at Trinidad and was swamped. John Wilkinson, quartermaster; William Martel, brewer; L. Duhe, passenger, and three unknown men were drowned.

When the Dispatch reached Eureka with the survivors togs were immediately sent out for missing boats. The tug Ranger picked up one containing 11 passengers and three of the crew. The Walla Walla was valued at about \$250,000. She was formerly used as a collier, and about 10 years ago was converted into a passenger vessel at a cost of \$175,000. The vessel was insured for about \$250,000.

Word has just been received from Trinidad by telephone of the boat which put in there. The survivors had a terrible experience, and only five or six are left out of a boat load. The telephone dispatch states that 13 were lost. The boat was capsized several times in rough weather Thursday, and each time several persons lost their lives. The survivors are now on the road to Eureka. The citizens' committee has arranged for a patrol system covering 15 miles of the coast both north and south of Eureka, so that should any survivors come ashore they will be taken care of.

The Unknown Vessel.
Portland, Or., Jan. 4.—Shipping men here believe that the vessel which was in collision with the steamer Walla Walla is the four-masted French bark Europe. The Europe left here Dec. 11 for Queenstown with a cargo of wheat. Under ordinary weather conditions she would have been further on her journey, but for several weeks the weather has been rough, and it is thought probable that she is the vessel that collided with the Walla Walla.

SKELETONS

Of Murdered Victims Who Lost Their Lives in Blue Bell Inn

Found Buried in the Cellar of the Old Tavern Place the Scene of Many Robberies and Murders.

Philadelphia, Jan. 4.—Six uncorroborated skeletons have been found buried in the cellar of the Old Blue Bell Inn at Trafalgar, Pa. The tavern is an ancient landmark and for years has been an unsavory reputation.

These human structures were complete, though some showed broken bones or cleft skulls. It is certainly

an interesting question as to how many persons were done away with at the inn during the fifty years from 1809 to 1860. Local stories and traditions place the number very high. It is said that prior to 1860, many guests who put up at the inn with well stuffed wallets, disappeared immediately after their visit to Blue Bell.

THREE TRAINS

Wrecked and Three Enginemen Killed in a Smash-up on the Pennsy.

Johnstown, Pa., Jan. 4.—Three men were killed and four seriously injured in a wreck on the Pennsylvania Railroad at Sanghollow last night. Three trains were in the smashup. One engine and a dozen cars went down the bank into the Conemaugh river. The dead are: Merl Paul, engineer; James Nolan, fireman; Engineer James Black was taken from the

Conemaugh river, and is thought to have been drowned. The injured are: James Winters, engineer; John Gallagher, leg broken. Four other trainmen who were injured were sent to Pittsburgh. It is said that the wreck was caused by the operator at Nineveh tower giving No. 14 the white block, denoting a clear track, when it should have been green, indicating that the freight was close ahead.

The Weather.
Washington, Jan. 4.—Ohio, fair, continued cold tonight. Sunday fair with slowly rising temperature.

East Liberty Market.
East Liberty, Jan. 4.—Cattle light, steady; hogs 15 double decks, active; sheep fair, slow, 10c to 15c lower.

ARTICLES

Of Incorporation Have Been Signed

For the New Carnegie National Institute.

Carnegie Has Renewed His Offer and Will Give Ten Million in Cash Instead of Steel Trust Bonds.

Washington, Jan. 4.—Dr. Daniel C. Gilman, formerly president of the Johns Hopkins University, and others, today signed articles of incorporation for the new Carnegie National Institute which is to be created through the gift of \$10,000,000 recently made by Mr. Carnegie for the establishment of such an institution to be operated under control of the government. This indicates that cash has been offered instead of steel trust bonds.

DOCTOR

Wouldn't Stand for the Whipping

That was Promised Him by a Young Woman.

Whole Town Turned Out to See the Fun but Ran Up Against a Pair of Guns in the Doctor's Hands.

Paoli, Ind., Jan. 4.—Paoli has been the scene of intense excitement. It was announced that Dr. C. D. Driscoll, a dentist, would be publicly whipped by Miss Eva Miller, a young woman who formerly resided here but who at present is a clerk at Fairview, a small town northeast of this city. Driscoll was arrested on a charge of alleged ill treatment of his family. He was taken to his office. Then the alarm was sounded and the larger portion of the town gathered to see the whippings. As they attempted to enter Driscoll's office, the young woman and others with her were confronted with two revolvers, which Driscoll flaunted. He says he will not be taken alive. Intense excitement prevailed, while he remains behind barred doors. Miss Miller alleges that he wrote her an insulting letter.

PASSENGER

Train on the New York Central

Wrecked by a Work Train at Fancher, N. Y.

Rear Coach was Overturned and Burned but None of the Crews or Passengers were Fatally Injured.

Albion, N. Y., Jan. 4.—A collision occurred on the New York Central railroad at Fancher, five miles east of here. The westbound passenger train had just pulled into the station when a work train crashed into its rear. Several passengers in the day coach of the passenger train were badly shaken up, while only one, Mrs. Catherine Reddy of New York city, was injured to any extent. Mrs. Reddy was injured in the back and one of her legs was badly lacerated. She is also suffering from shock. A telephone message from Eagle Harbor said that the rear passenger coach, after the collision, rolled over and was burned.

LIBERTY BELL

Leaves Philadelphia to go to Charleston.

Philadelphia, Jan. 4.—The old Liberty Bell will be taken from Independence hall today and escorted by military, the mayor and other officials to the Pennsylvania railroad station and prepared for the journey to the Charleston exposition. The bell will be guarded night and day by four of Philadelphia's largest policemen.

POMP

Reigned in Gorgeous Array

At the Debut

Of President Roosevelt's Daughter.

Teddy Enjoyed the Event and Mingled With the Giddy Belles.

The Orchestra Played "Dem Goo-Goo Eyes" as the Debutante Danced With Charmed Military Officer.

Washington, Jan. 4.—The coming out ball of Miss Alice Roosevelt was the most gorgeous event that this historic city has looked upon for a quarter of a century. It ought to be a memory of pride for the handsome young major Charles L. McCawley, of the Marine Corps, who was Miss Roosevelt's partner at the opening of the ball and became therefore an object of admiration in the eyes of all the young women and of envy in the sight of the less fortunate swains. The major is thirty years old and at present holds the position of military attaché of the White House.

ORCHESTRA

Played "Dem Goo-Goo Eyes" While the Dance Went On.

Washington, Jan. 4.—Miss Alice Roosevelt, the eldest daughter of President and Mrs. Roosevelt, was formally presented to Washington society at a ball given in her honor at the White House. About 500 guests in all were present, many of whom either were connections of the Roosevelt family or well known society people living outside of Washington. When the ball was opened Friday night the interior of the White House was most attractive. Never before and the floral decorations been more beautiful. When the guests arrived at the White House they were conducted to the blue parlor, where presentations were made. Mrs. Roosevelt introducing her daughter. The latter presented a charming appearance in a dress of white chiffon with white roses, and wearing the jewels which her father gave her at Christmas. The president enjoyed the occasion heartily and mingled freely among the young folks. The program of dances was varied, and included much of the popular music of the day from a Faust waltz to Sousa two-step; A polka, "Dem Goo-Goo Eyes," and Chatterbox, was one of the numbers.

MINISTER

And His Daughter Burned to Death Today.

Son Jumped from a Second Story Window and is Thought to be Fatally Injured.

Bethany, Conn., Jan. 4.—Rev. Edmund Peck, a retired Methodist minister, eighty years old and his daughter, Miss Mary Peck, thirty-five years old, were burned to death in their home, a farmhouse, early this morning. Charles Peck, a son, jumped from a second story window and was probably fatally injured. The house was burned to the ground.

LATEST

Inducement Offered for British Army Recruits.

War Office Considering a Proposition to Provide Them With False Teeth, Gratis.

London, Jan. 4.—The war office is considering the advisability of supplying false teeth free to recruits, as a final endeavor to increase the army in South Africa. Sixty per cent of the rejections of volunteers has been caused by defective molars. The dental hospitals of London have quoted a price for the job of one pound per head.

DYNAMITE

Used by a Bohemian Who Suicided.

Placed Stick of the Explosive Under His Vest

Then Exploded the Cap and His Body was Blown to Atoms—He Brooded Over Trouble He Had With His Wife.

Morris, Jan. 4.—There was a frightful suicide at Coal City, 10 miles southeast of this city. Joseph H. Bovine, a leader among the Bohemians in the coal fields, had trouble with his wife. He brooded over the matter until he went to the village and secured a stick of dynamite. On his return he went back of his barn, and, lying on his back, placed the dynamite beneath his vest. With his hands he struck the cap and exploded the dynamite. The explosion tore a great hole in the earth and blew the man's body into countless pieces.

TRIBUTE

Paid to Admiral Schley at Kokomo

By a Methodist Minister in a Farewell Sermon,

Saying "In Whose Immortal Crown the Stars Will Shine After His Traducers Have Been Forgotten."

Kokomo, Ind., Jan. 4.—While preaching his farewell sermon to an immense audience at Grace Methodist Episcopal church, the Rev. Dr. W. D. Parr, the new field secretary of the Church Extension society, who will soon establish headquarters at Indianapolis, paid a high tribute to Admiral Schley. He referred to the illustrious hero of Santiago, "in whose immortal crown the stars will shine with increased brilliancy after his traducers had been forgotten." The sentiment was applauded by the audience.

FOUR KILLED

In an Accident on the Burlington Road.

Monmouth, Ill., Jan. 4.—Four men on a hand car were instantly killed by passenger train 22 on the Burlington this morning. Dead: James McGrath, foreman; Joseph Brown, Samuel Mettler, Mike Anderson. The coming train was concealed by a stalled freight on the other track.

MRS. HOBART

And Son Go to Canton to Visit Mrs. McKinley.

Patterson, N. Y., Jan. 4.—In response to frequent invitations from Mrs. McKinley to visit her at her home, Mrs. Jennie T. Hobart and her son, Garrett A. Hobart, left this city yesterday for Canton, where they will spend several days. Mrs. Hobart and Mrs. McKinley are very warm friends.

AT LAST

The Famous Old Neely Case Goes to Trial.

Havana, Jan. 4.—The long delayed trial of Chas. F. W. Neely, who is accused of perpetrating frauds in the Cuban postal service, was begun before Judges of Audiencia today. Estos G. Rathbone, formerly director of posts in Cuba, will be tried separately.

RIOTERS

Looted the Shops in Budapest Last Night.

Budapest, Jan. 4.—During last night a mob of 2,000 unemployed persons made a raid on the various shops of this city, plundering one hundred and thirty of them. The rioters had several conflicts with mounted police and twenty of their number were seriously wounded.

KAISER

And John Bull are Urged to Tie Together in an Alliance

To Check Uncle Sam's Strides.

A London Editor Strenuously Urges Germany to Attempt to Take a Fall Out of Uncle Sam on the Monroe Doctrine Proposition.

London, Jan. 4.—The Saturday Review prints a remarkably free-spoken editorial in which it strongly advises Great Britain to form a working alliance with Germany in order to check the "continued and apparently inevitable advance of the United States into South America." According to The Review, "it is the wisest policy for this country to encourage the advance of Germany in the new world, as the most useful counterpoise to the overwhelming predominance of the United States, which is the only other possible outcome of the existing political conditions." The Review disclaims all hostility to the United States, but says: "The solid interests of our own people, which is the basis on which the United States always works, is the only sure ground on which to build."

convert the Caribbean sea into an American lake."

French Minister on America.
Rome, Jan. 4.—The Giornale Di Italia publishes an interview with M. Delcasse, the French minister of foreign affairs, in which he confirms the statement that an agreement has been arrived at between Italy and France respecting Mediterranean questions. In this interview M. Delcasse refers to the friendly relations of France with the United States and Great Britain. He says: "They are our best markets, and we welcome the riches of America, which has need of our articles of luxury." With regard to the American invasion, M. Delcasse says that the best course is to seek to copy American systems.

Orders by Botha and Dewet.
Johannesburg, Jan. 4.—General Botha has sent a note to all Boer commanders requesting them to keep on fighting, for the British parliament is to be asked for another war vote, which will induce the British nation to demand that the war in South Africa be stopped. General Dewet has ordered the Boer commanders to retard the work of extending the British block houses at any cost. Further fighting may consequently be expected. General Bruce Hamilton has captured another Boer laager and 22 prisoners on the Swaziland border.

Just a Common Fray.
Vienna, Jan. 4.—The report published in the United States to the effect that 14 Jews were massacred at Zweisun, Galicia, by a mob headed by three landowners, turns out, upon investigation, a common murdering affray in which three Jews were killed.

FORAKER

Manager Concedes the Election of the Hanna Candidate.

McKinnon Slated for Speaker of the House With a Few Votes to Spare. Foraker Still Claims the Senate.

Columbus, Jan. 4.—A special to the Cleveland Press says: Gen. Dick claims 39 votes for McKinnon, 4 more than enough to nominate him. Of the doubtful members Dick claims to have captured Binchley, of Perry; McNeal, of Marion; Crist, of Columbiana; Kimball, of Lake, and Willis, of Hardin. Price will not admit defeat, and said: "I had votes when I went to bed last night, and I am confident I still have them. Dick is claiming votes that are pledged to me." Five hundred dollars that have been posted at hotel desk on McKinnon was not covered. The odds are now 5 to 1 on McKinnon.

Cox Claims Hoss and Hoss.
Columbus, Jan. 4.—Geo. B. Cox, manager of the Foraker forces, has just stated that McKinnon will be elected speaker. He says that without question Foraker will organize the senate.

A HOT TIME

Marked the Closing Hours of the Hanna-Foraker Fight.
Columbus, O., Jan. 4.—Conferences marked the last day of the struggle over the organization of the Ohio legislature, and the rival factions had a busy time of it keeping their followers in line. The advent of Governor Nash and General Charles Dick into

the arena gave impetus to the McKinnon forces, and at noon the Hanna followers claimed they had the battle won so far as organization of the house was concerned. The chances of the house and senate Republicans are set for 2 p. m.

Early today it was found that a strong tide had set in during the night for McKinnon, whose managers claimed 40 out of the 68 votes. While these figures were disputed by the Price men, most of the latter no longer claimed the nomination. During the night Kimball, Crist, Binchley, Fisher, McDonald and McNeal, six of the doubtful ones, pledged themselves to McKinnon.

Senators Wirt, Hanna, Duham, Godfrey, Overturn, Harris and Patterson met and decided to name a complete Hanna ticket in the Republican senate caucus. Until the turn in favor of McKinnon in the house, the Hanna men had decided to support Senator Archer, who was not expected to have any opposition for president pro tem., and all the Hanna men had asked for in the senate was the re-election of W. B. Uhl as chief clerk. Now, there will be an opposition ticket, including Senator Wirt for president pro tem., Uhl for clerk and others for minor places. It is conceded that 11, enough to nominate, are pledged to Archer and Scoble for president pro tem. and clerk, but General Dick and others, joined in the senatorial conference, and endorsed the plan to carry the war into the upper branch.

Live Stock Market.
Chicago, Jan. 4.—Cattle, light, slow; hogs 22,000, active; sheep 2,000, strong.

Grain and Pork.
Chicago, Jan. 4.—Closing May wheat 83 1/4; corn 67 1/4; oats 46 1/4; pork 17 1/4.

DATA

For the President's Message

To be Provided

By Interstate Commerce Commission.

Special Message is to Deal With Three Important Subjects.

Northwestern Railway Combination, Packing Houses, Grain Products and Interstate Traffic.

Chicago, Jan. 4.—The interstate commerce commission will begin a series of investigations in Chicago next Tuesday which are said to have for their purpose the gathering of data for a special message by President Roosevelt to congress. It is said that at this special message President Roosevelt will deal with three subjects, as follows: Railway combination, the interstate commerce commission, legislation governing interstate traffic. Originally it was the purpose of the president to cover these subjects only in his annual message to congress, but owing to the urgency of the interstate commerce commission to get on the subject, the president's subjects were changed to include the railway combination, the interstate commerce commission, legislation governing interstate traffic. The president's subjects were changed to include the railway combination, the interstate commerce commission, legislation governing interstate traffic. The president's subjects were changed to include the railway combination, the interstate commerce commission, legislation governing interstate traffic.

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It is understood that the federal counsel interested in the organization of the Northern Securities company, James J. Hill, E. J. Harriman, J. P. Morgan, former president of the Southern Pacific, President Bush of the Union Pacific and J. C. Stubbs, traffic director for the Harriman line, have been asked to attend. Railroad men have been given to understand that the investigation into rate matters is not for the purpose of inflicting punishment upon any one, but simply in the line of investigation for facts and data. This is understood as confirming the purpose of the president to send a special message to congress.

Judgment Against Hayes Estate.
Toledo, Jan. 4.—The circuit court handed down a decision affirming a decision of the lower courts giving Mrs. Adeline Smith of Fremont a judgment of \$5,400 against the estate of the late President R. B. Hayes. This is the second time this case has been in the circuit court. Upon the first hearing in the common pleas court Mrs. Smith secured a judgment of \$5,500. The circuit court reduced it to \$5,000, and the supreme court then remanded the case back to the common pleas court for rehearing on error. The common pleas court at the second hearing gave Mrs. Smith a verdict of \$5,400, and the circuit court has now affirmed this. Mrs. Smith was bitten by a dog belonging to the late president, and this is the cause for action.

Steel Workers Pensioned.
Chicago, Jan. 4.—Notices were posted in the various mills of the American Steel and Wire company announcing that a pension department had been created for the benefit of the 30,000 employees of the concern. According to the general notice, which is signed by President William P. Palmer, the new department will have for its purpose the retiring from active service and placing on a pension roll all employees who have rendered the company or its predecessors long and faithful service, and who have attained an age or physical condition which necessitates a relief from duty.

Everett-Moore Situation.
Cleveland, Jan. 4.—"The situation is wonderfully relieved," said Chairman H. B. Newcomb of the bankers' committee that has charge of the affairs of the Everett-Moore syndicate. "The withdrawal of the savings deposits was stopped by the action of the Dime

Salt Rheum

You may call it eczema, better or milk crust. But no matter what you call it, this skin disease which comes in patches, burns, itches, discharges a watery matter, dry and scale, owes its existence to the presence of humors in the system. It will continue to exist, annoy, and perhaps agonize, as long as these humors remain. It is always radically and permanently cured by

Hood's Sarsaparilla

which expels all humors, and is positively unequalled for all cutaneous eruptions.

Woman's Terrible Fate.
Waco, Tex., Jan. 4.—Mrs. Kate Mason, 72, was burned to death in the presence of her husband, a helpless invalid. Her clothing caught fire from coals which rolled from the fireplace. The carpet caught fire and it was only by hard work that passersby succeeded in rescuing Mr. Mason.

Stock Brokers Suspend.
Buffalo, Jan. 4.—Ryan & Pratt, stock brokers, suspended business. A representative of the firm said that their embarrassment was only temporary and that some of their customers would suffer.

PICKED UP

Hundreds of Lima People Volunteer Evidence That Dispel Doubt.

The columns of this newspaper are day-by-day publishing fresh evidence from Lima people which establishes more fully the great reputation of Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills. The manner in which they take hold of the run-down and debilitated is so prompt, strength and energy is so quickly picked up by their use, home evidence is plentiful.

Mrs. May Harnett, of 503 North West street, Lima, Ohio, says:—"Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills I got at Melville's Drug Store are a fine tonic and nerve medicine. I was weak, run-down and digestive organs sluggish. I used the medicine as directed and it was fine. I eat and sleep well, digestive strong and nerves and body strength all right again. It's a good medicine, and I am pleased to recommend it to others."

Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills are sold at 50 cents a box at dealers, or Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. See that portrait and signature of A. W. Chase, M. D. are on every package. 3221

A Discussion.

First Trump—You oughtn't to tell people you want a nickel to quench your hunger.

Second Trump—Ain't that what you do for your hunger? That's correct.

First Trump—It's correct, all right; but it ain't diplomatic—Puck.

They Never Depress.

You will never hear that depressed or stupid feeling after taking Clinch Headache Wafers for the cure of your headache. They work directly on the nerves, act as a tonic to the heart and leave you bright and ready for work. A child or the weakest invalid can take them with perfect safety. 10 cents at all druggists. 4

Mme. Calve's Necklace.

Mme. Calve is superstitious and has a large collection of charms, says The Jewelers Weekly. A curious necklace has lately been made for her by Mrs. Edith A. Dick, the song writer. It is made of rough pearls interwoven in quaint designs with the figures of Egyptian gods and scarabs. Each bead has a different history, and some of the scarabs date back to about 1500 B. C.

Miss Mary B. Sayles of the class of 1900 at Smith college has been chosen out of thirty candidates for the fellowship offered by the College Settlement association last spring. Miss Sayles will live at Whittier House, the only college settlement in Jersey City, N. J. Her specialty will be the investigation of tenement house conditions.

Royal Lian is the pet fabric of the Parisienne of modish pretensions. It is a rich, glossy line almost as soft as crepe de chine and is shown in lovely, delicate shades. From it are constructed the simplest of morning frocks and the most elaborate afternoon tolets.

The Denver clubwomen are earnestly working for the erection of a clubhouse, and they have appealed for aid to the friends of the club and particularly "those gentlemen who are members by marriage."

"Love makes memory eternal" has been selected as the motto of the Society of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, in session in Staunton, Va., and laurel as the emblem of the flower for Virginia.

A Cure for Lumbago.

W. C. Williamson, of Amherst, Va., says: "For more than a year I suffered from lumbago. I finally tried Chamberlain's Pain Balm and it gave me entire relief, which all other remedies had failed to do. Sold by Wm. Melville, old post office corner."

TOPICS

For Divine Services Tomorrow

Where the Day of Rest is Observed.

Hours at Which Religious Services Will be Held in the City. Interesting Sermons are Promised.

Calvary Reformed Church.

Cor. High street and Park avenue. "Duties of Church Officers" is subject at 10:30; at 7:00 the pastor preaches on "The Church of Sardis." Sunday school at 9:15; Junior C. E. at 2:00; Senior C. E. at 5:15; Bible study on Wednesday at 7:30. A good time to go to church is the first Sunday in the year. A. D. Wolfager, pastor.

Union Street Lutheran Church.

Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Morning services at 10:15; theme, "Darkness and Light." Evening service at 7:00 o'clock. The regular quarterly congregational meeting will be held at the close of the morning service. The Ladies' Missionary Society meets on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock with Mrs. Gerstenouer, 324 North Pine street; subject, "The North American Indian," by Mrs. Ackermann, leader. A full attendance at all these services is desired. Strangers welcome. Carl Ackermann, pastor.

First Congregational Church

South Elizabeth street near Market. Holy communion and reception of members at 10 a. m. This service will be of special interest to all members of the church and congregation. Bible school at 11 a. m. Beginning tomorrow the school will be closed promptly at noon. Y. P. C. U. at 6. Evening services at 7 o'clock. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7 o'clock. All seats free. Strangers cordially welcomed. I. J. Swanson, pastor.

First Baptist Church.

J. H. Deere, pastor. The Lord's supper will be observed Sabbath morning at 10:30, with a short sermon on "Fruitless and Fruitful Toil." Sunday school at 9:15. Y. P. C. U. at 6 p. m. Evening worship at 7. Beginning with Sunday evening the pastor will preach a series of sermons on "The Seven Words from the Cross." Let a large number come out to hear the first sermon on "Christ and His Enemies." There will be good music and a cordial welcome to all.

Trinity M. E. Church.

General class at 9 a. m. Sermon at 10; subject, "Building Up by Breaking Up." Sunday school at 11:30. Junior League at 2:30; Epworth League devotional meeting at 6 o'clock, led by A. L. Anderson. Sermon at 7, "Con-viction by the Spirit."

German Reformed Church

West Wayne street. Sunday school promptly at 9; regular services at 10 a. m. and 7 p. m. Immediately after the morning services the annual election of church officers will be held. Ladies' Aid Society meets Wednesday afternoon at the church; at this meeting there will also be an election of officers. Young People's Society business session Thursday evening at the church. A full attendance at all these meetings is desired. Paul H. Land, pastor.

Main St. Presbyterian Church

Sabbath school at 9:15 a. m. New Year's sermon at 10:30; Junior League at 2:30. A praise service at 7:30 followed by a sermon on "A Common-Place Suggestion." This congregation will unite with Christians throughout the world in observing the week of prayer. Services each evening, except Saturday, at 7:30. A hearty invitation is extended to strangers and persons without church homes. All made welcome. W. G. Smith, pastor.

U. B. Church.

Spring and Union streets. Sunday school at 9. Rev. L. S. Woodruff will preach at 10:15 after which communion service will be held. Junior Y. P. C. U. at 3; Y. P. C. U. at 6. Rev. A. W. Ballinger will preach at 7 o'clock; also communion service in the evening for benefit of those who cannot come in the morning. Revival services are in progress and will continue all next week.

Grace M. E. Church

In the morning the pastor will preach on "Revival Obstructions and Their Removal." In the evening, "Shirka." An honest welcome to all.

Church of Christ

West Wayne street, W. A. Brundage, pastor. Bible school at 9:15. H. Tracy has been re-elected for another year as superintendent and Wm. Davis as assistant. Under the present corps of officers still greater growth is anticipated for the school. Now is a good time to join the bible school. Ladies Aid Tuesday afternoon at the church. Y. P. C. U. at 5:15; prayer meeting Thursday night; choir tonight; sermons, "True Values" at 10:30; at 7 "The Man Who is King." Hear these sermons Sunday.

West Market Presbyterian Church.

Corner west Market and West streets. At 10:30 a. m. sacrament of the Lord's Supper, reception of mem-

Don't Worry

DR. PIERCE'S FAVORITE PRESCRIPTION WILL CURE YOU IT MAKES WEAK WOMEN STRONG SICK WOMEN WELL

bers, and address by the pastor, Robert J. Thomson, D. D., at 7 p. m., lessons from the life of David; subject, "Bringing Up the Ark of the Covenant, or the Need of Religion in the Life of the Nation." Sunday school, 9:15; preaching by the pastor every evening next week in the lecture room. Cordial welcome to everybody.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church

North and Elizabeth streets, Rev. F. P. Bossert, pastor. Services at 10:15 a. m. and 7 p. m. Morning—reception of new members and communion. Evening—"The Visit of the Magi." Sunday school at 9 a. m.; Luther League at 6 p. m. The annual congregational meeting will be held in the church on Monday at 2 p. m. The seats are free and all are welcome.

If troubled with a weak digestion, belching, sour stomach, or if you feel dull after eating, try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Price, 25 cents. Samples free at Wm. Melville's drug store, old post office corner.

The Austrian Wife.

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Nature is a very wise and careful mother but she is dumb. She speaks by signs. The man or woman who does not heed her signs or fails to understand them must pay the penalty. Some day there will be a step over the line beyond which Nature's warnings cease and her penalties begin. For instance there is a man who for years never knew he had a stomach, it performed its work so perfectly. Some day after eating he has a little sour or bitter rising in the throat. He does not heed it. Later he feels an uncomfortable fullness after eating, a distress in the region of the stomach, and perhaps he is uncomfortable enough to wonder whether he ought not to "do something" for himself. But he does not get any farther than



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Fatal accidents, telegraphic reports—Total number killed from January 1 to December 31, 1901, 494.

Equipment—The number of locomotives reported in service in 1901 was 6,535; an increase of 273. Number of passenger cars reported in service, 1901, 4,890 an increase of 146. Number of freight cars reported in service in 1901, 315,473, an increase of 26,335. Number of passenger and freight cars in service, 1901, 320,279; an increase of 26,181. Number of cars operated under lease in the state, 1901, 38,955, an increase of 2,598.

Railroads operated by electrical motive power—The history of electric railroads begin with the incorporation of "The Soldier's Home Electric Railroad Company" on the 30th day of July A. D. 1889, with the terminal designated as the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers and the city of Dayton, all within the county of Montgomery and the State of Ohio. On the 24th day of July A. D. 1891 the above named company was consolidated with the White Line Street Railroad company.

During the fiscal year ending November 15, 1901, 36 electric railroad companies were incorporated with a total capital stock of \$21,361,000. After numerous reorganizations and consolidations, we had, on May 1st, 1901, sixty-eight (68) companies operating electric railroads within Ohio. These sixty-eight companies operate a total of 1,818.16 miles of electric railroad, an amount equal to one-fifth of the main track mileage of all the steam railroads of the state.

HOW STRENGTH IS RESTORED.

People as a rule have a somewhat vague idea of the manner in which life is sustained and supported. They know they must eat to live. But they do not consider that when the stomach and digestive and nutritive tracts are diseased, the object of eating, which is the nutrition of the body, cannot be perfectly attained. Only part of the food eaten is converted into nutrition, and the body is but partly nourished. Yet the body is required to do as much daily as if it were being fully nourished. The result is the wasting of the flesh, loss of weight which goes hand in hand with loss of strength, and general debility. When the diseased stomach is cured by "Golden Medical Discovery," the food is digested and assimilated and in the form of nourishment restores the strength and vigor of the body, the proof of this being written in the pounds and ounces of lost flesh which are rapidly regained. The only way in which physical strength can be made is by food, digested and assimilated. When the stomach and its allied organs are diseased the digestion is imperfect, the assimilation partial, consequently there is a daily loss of strength. When Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures the diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition, the food eaten is properly digested and assimilated, the body is adequately nourished, and thus its strength is restored.

"I will express my thanks to you for the kindly advice you have given me in regard to my case," writes Miss Carrie J. Wharton, of Dunaway, Spotsylvania Co., Va. "When I wrote to you last spring I was in a terrible state of health. Had given up all hope of ever being better. I spit up my food all the time and it seemed sour as vinegar. I would have a bad sick headache every other week; in fact, my head never

felt clear, and I was perfectly broken down under the strain of losing my food constantly. I was not able to have a physician attend me, but had read a great deal in your books of what your medicine had done for others, so I wrote you and got your advice. Bought two bottles of 'Golden Medical Discovery' and the first dose I took, I felt better. When I had finished taking the two bottles the spitting up had entirely stopped and my head was much better. I do not say it has yet made an entire cure of me, as it required more than that for me, as I was so very bad, but I believe your medicine was just what I have said of them."

"I carefully read the books you sent me and shall always speak a good word for the 'Golden Medical Discovery' whenever I have a chance."

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GIVEN AWAY.

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Old Fashioned Cold Cures

are going out of date. The busy man of today cannot afford to be absent a whole day and undergo the martyrdom of the sweating process. Krause's Cold Cure are capsules of convenient size, and can be taken without danger while performing your usual duties. They cure in 24 hours. Price 25c. Sold by W. M. Melville.

Doubtful.

He—I'm sorry, Maria.

She—What's the good of being sorry after spilling the clean floor with your dirty feet?

He—Well, I dunno, Maria. I don't s'pose you could jaw me any more if I wasn't sorry.—Puck.

Blown to Atoms.

The old idea that the body sometimes needs a powerful, drastic, purgative pill has been exploded; for Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are perfectly harmless, gently stimulate liver and bowels to expel poisonous matter, cleanse the system and absolutely cure constipation and sickheadaches. Only 25c at H. F. Vorkamp's drug store.

Dentist—When did your teeth first begin to trouble you sir?

The Victim—When I was about one year old.

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Every year a large number of poor sufferers whose lungs are sore and racked with coughs are urged to go to another climate. But this is costly and not always sure. Don't be an exile when Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption will cure you at home. It's the most infallible medicine for Coughs, Colds, and all Throat and Lung diseases on earth. The first dose brings relief. Astounding cures result from persistent use. Trial bottles free at H. F. Vorkamp's. Price, 50c and \$1.00. Every bottle guaranteed.

DATA

For the President's Message

To be Provided

By Interstate Commerce Commission.

Special Message is to Deal With Three Important Subjects.

Northwestern Railway Combination, Packing Houses, Grain Products and Interstate Traffic.

Chicago, Jan. 4.—The interstate commerce commission will begin a series of investigations in Chicago next Tuesday which are said to have for their purpose the gathering of data for a special message by President Roosevelt to congress. It is said that on this special message President Roosevelt will deal with three subjects as follows: Railway combinations, the interstate commerce commission, legislative governing interstate traffic. Originally it was the purpose of the president to cover these subjects only in his annual message to congress, but owing to the inability of the interstate commerce commission to get all the facts necessary, these subjects were touched upon but briefly and were left to be handled in a special message by the president. The president will be made aware of the situation in the packing houses, the Burlington-Norfolk-Pa. & Great Northern combination grain and produce, and a soda and seafood packing house, house products and dressed meat.

United States Marshal Ames says he has been trying to get a few suggestions on representatives of packing but has failed. He said the commission and executive in serving the president of the union could be said to have a good service by having the city authority, one of the men in the city by only a few seconds. When the packing house men are again showing the investigation, the railroad men are not seeking to avoid it. Many of them think it is better that the present condition, and that state of affairs will come and a compromise for the union country. The packing house men who were served with subpoenas and George D. Reilly, vice president of the union, and W. M. Perkins, superintendent of transportation for the Hammond Packing company.

It is understood that the legal counsel involved in the organization of the Northern Securities company, James J. Hill, E. J. Harriman, J. P. Morgan, former President of the Southern Pacific, President of the Union Pacific and J. C. Stubbins, traffic director for the Harriman line, have been cited to attend. Railroad men have been given to understand that the investigation into rate matters is not for the purpose of inflicting punishment upon any one, but simply in the line of investigation for facts and data. This is understood as confirming the purpose of the president to send a special message to congress.

Judgment Against Hayes Estate.
Toledo, Jan. 4.—The circuit court handed down a decision affirming a decision of the lower courts giving Mrs. Adelaide Smith of Fremont a judgment of \$3,490 against the estate of the late President R. B. Hayes. This is the second time this case has been in the circuit court. Upon the first hearing in the common pleas court Mrs. Smith secured a judgment of \$7,500. The circuit court reduced it to \$5,000, and the supreme court then remanded the case back to the common pleas court for rehearing on error. The common pleas court at the second hearing gave Mrs. Smith a verdict of \$5,400, and the circuit court has now affirmed this. Mrs. Smith was bitten by a dog belonging to the late president, and this is the cause for action.

Steel Workers Pensioned.
Chicago, Jan. 4.—Notices were posted in the various mills of the American Steel and Wire company announcing that a pension department had been created for the benefit of the 30,000 employees of the concern. According to the general notice, which is signed by President William P. Palmer, the new department will have for its purpose the retiring from active service and placing on a pension roll all employees who have rendered the company or its predecessors long and faithful service, and who have attained an age or physical condition which necessitates a relief from duty.

Everett-Moore Situation.
Cleveland, Jan. 4.—"The situation is wonderfully relieved," said Chairman H. R. Newcomb of the bankers' committee that has charge of the affairs of the Everett-Moore syndicate. "The withdrawal of the savings deposits was stopped by the action of the Dime

Salt Rheum

You may call it eczema, tetter or milk crust. But no matter what you call it, this skin disease which comes in patches that burn, itch, discharge a watery matter, dry and scale, owes its existence to the presence of humors in the system.

It will continue to exist, annoy, and perhaps agonize, as long as these humors remain.

It is always radically and permanently cured by

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bank in requiring the 60 days' notice before the shrinkage exceeded \$30,000. There has been scarcely any call on the commercial accounts, and even that is ended. This relieves the Everett-Moore situation also."

Woman's Terrible Fate.
Waco, Tex., Jan. 4.—Mrs. Kate Mason, 72, was burned to death in the presence of her husband, a helpless invalid. Her clothing caught fire from coals which rolled from the fireplace. The carpet caught fire and it was only by hard work that passersby succeeded in rescuing Mr. Mason.

Stock Brokers Suspend.
Buffalo, Jan. 4.—Ryan & Pratt, stock brokers, suspended business. A representative of the firm said that their embarrassment was only temporary and that some of their customers would suffer.

PICKED UP
Hundreds of Lima People Volunteer Evidence That Dispel Doubt.

The columns of this newspaper are day-by-day publishing fresh evidence from Lima people which establishes more fully the great reputation of Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills. The manner in which they take hold of the run down and debilitated is so prompt, strength and energy is so quickly picked up by their use, home evidence is plentiful.

Mrs. May Harneet, of 603 north West street, Lima Ohio says: "Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills I got at Melville's Drug Store are a fine tonic and nerve medicine. I was weak, run down and digestive organs sluggish. I used the medicine as directed and it was fine. I eat and sleep well, digestion strong and nerves and body strength all right again. It's a good medicine, and I am pleased to recommend it to others."

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A Discussion.
First Trump—You oughtn't to tell people you want a nickel to quench your hunger.
Second Trump—Ain't dat what yer doin' yer hunger? Dat's correct.
First Trump—It's correct, all right; but it ain't diplomatic.—Puck.

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Mme. Calve is superstitious and has a large collection of charms, says The Jewellers Weekly. A curious necklace has lately been made for her by Mrs. Edith A. Dick, the song writer. It is made of rough pearls interwoven in quaint designs with the figures of Egyptian gods and scarabs. Each bead has a different history, and some of the scarabs date back to about 1500 B. C.

Royal linen is the pet fabric of the Parisienne of modish pretensions. It is a rich, glossy linen almost as soft as crepe de chine and is shown in lovely, delicate shades. From it are constructed the simplest of morning frocks and the most elaborate afternoon toils.

The Denver clubwomen are earnestly working for the erection of a clubhouse, and they have appealed for aid to the friends of the club and particularly "those gentlemen who are members by marriage."

"Love makes memory eternal" has been selected as the motto of the Society of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, in session in Staunton, Va., and laurel as the emblematic flower for Virginia.

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Where the Day of Rest is Observed.

Hours at Which Religious Services Will be Held in the City. Interesting Sermons are Promised.

Calvary Reformed Church.
Cor. High street and Park avenue. "Duties of Church Officers" is subject at 10:30; at 7:00 the pastor preaches on "The Church of Sardis." Sunday school at 9:15; Junior C. E. at 2:00; Senior C. E. at 6:15; Bible study on Wednesday at 7:00. A good time to go to church is the first Sunday in the year. A. D. Wolfinger, pastor.

Union Street Lutheran Church.
Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Morning services at 10:15; theme, "Darkness and Light." Evening service at 7:00 o'clock. The regular quarterly congregational meeting will be held at the close of the morning service. The Ladies' Missionary Society meets on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock with Mrs. Gerstenouer, 324 north Pine street; subject, "The North American Indian," by Mrs. Ackermann, leader. A full attendance at all these services is desired. Strangers welcome. Carl Ackermann, pastor.

First Congregational Church
South Elizabeth street near Market. Holy communion and reception of members at 10 a. m. This service will be of special interest to all members of the church and congregation. Bible school at 11 a. m. Beginning tomorrow the school will be closed promptly at noon. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6. Evening services at 7 o'clock. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7 o'clock. All seats free. Strangers cordially welcomed. I. J. Swanson, pastor.

First Baptist Church.
J. H. Deere, pastor. The Lord's supper will be observed Sabbath morning at 10:30, with a short sermon on "Fruitless and Fruitful Toil." Sunday school at 9:15. B. Y. P. C. at 6 p. m. Evening worship at 7. Beginning with Sunday evening the pastor will preach a series of sermons on "The Seven Words from the Cross." Let a large number come out to hear the last sermon on "Christ and His Enemies." There will be good music and a cordial welcome to all.

Trinity M. E. Church.
General class at 9 a. m. Sermon at 10; subject, "Building Up by Breaking Up." Sunday school at 11:30. Junior League at 2:30; Epworth League devotional meeting at 6 o'clock, led by A. L. Anderson. Sermon at 7, "Conquering by the Spirit."

German Reformed Church
West Wayne street. Sunday school promptly at 9; regular services at 10 a. m. and 7 p. m. Immediately after the morning services the annual election of church officers will be held. Ladies' Aid Society meets Wednesday afternoon at the church; at this meeting there will also be an election of officers. Young People's Society business session Thursday evening at the church. A full attendance at all these meetings is desired. Paul H. Land, pastor.


Main St. Presbyterian Church
Sabbath school at 9:15 a. m. New Year's sermon at 10:30; Junior League at 2:30. A praise service at 7:30 followed by a sermon on "A Common Atlantic Suggestion." This congregation will unite with Christians throughout the world in observing the week of prayer. Service each evening, except Saturday, at 7:30. A hearty invitation is extended to strangers and persons without church homes. All made welcome. W. G. Smith, pastor.

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Grace M. E. Church
In the morning the pastor will preach on "Revival Obstructions and Their Removal." In the evening, "Shirke." An honest welcome to all.

Church of Christ
West Wayne street, W. A. Brundage, pastor. Bible school at 9:15. H. Tracy has been re-elected for another year as superintendent and Wm. Davis as assistant. Under the present corps of officers still greater growth is anticipated for the school. Now is a good time to join the bible school. Ladies Aid Tuesday afternoon at the church. Y. P. S. C. E. at 5:15; prayer meeting Thursday night; choir to sing; sermons, "True Values" at 10:30; at 7 "The Man Who is King." Hear these sermons Sunday.

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Injurious and fatal accidents. Total number of persons injured in 1901 was 6,878, a decrease of 861 or 16.36 per cent. for the year. Substituted as follows: Passengers killed, 7, injured, 301. Travelers on highways, killed, 82; injured, 160. Employees, killed, 176; injured, 5,512. Trespassers, killed, 312; injured, 335. Total, 1901, killed, 567, injured, 6,371.

Fatal accidents. Total number of passengers carried in Ohio in 1901 was 26,510,292; a number of deaths, 7 or one in every 3,644,470. Number of passengers injured, not resulting in death, 1901, 300 or one in every 88,705.

Passenger traffic. Total number of passengers carried in Ohio in 1901, 26,510,292; an increase of 48,470 or 19 per cent. Number of passengers carried one mile, 1901, 838,815,080; an increase of 29,370,130 or 3.45 per cent. Average distance a passenger was carried, 1901, 25.73 miles; a decrease of 1.21 miles. Average amount received from each passenger, 1901, 58 cents; an increase of 2.3 cents. Average receipts per passenger per mile, 1901, 5.8 cents; an increase of 2 cents. Passenger earnings per mile, 1901, \$1,886.21; an increase of \$187.17 or 11.14 per cent. Passenger earnings per train mile, 1901, 73.1 cents an increase of 7 cents.

Freight traffic. Total number of tons transported, 1901, 117,628,982 tons; an increase in 1901 of 963,059, tons or 0.82 per cent. Numbers of tons carried one mile 1901, 12,460,261, 829 tons; a decrease of 24,857,535 tons. Average distance freight hauled in 1901, 72.18 miles; a decrease of 5.38 miles. Average receipt per ton, 1901, 33.5 cents; a decrease of 8.8 cents. Average receipt per ton per mile, 1901,

OVER THE LINE.

Procrastination is the Thief of Health.

Nature is a very wise and careful mother but she is dumb. She speaks by signs. The man or woman who does not heed her signs or fails to understand them must pay the penalty. Some day there will be a step over the line beyond which Nature's warnings cease and her penalties begin. For instance, there is a man who for years never knew he had a stomach, it performed its work so perfectly. Some day after eating he has a little sour or bitter rising in the throat. He does not heed it. Later he feels an uncomfortable fullness after eating, a distress in the region of the stomach and perhaps he is uncomfortable enough to wonder whether he ought not to "do something" for himself. But he does not get any farther than



wondering. He becomes sleepless, loses flesh, and has other warnings of the development of disease but he still tries to work. Some day he collapses, drops down perhaps at his task and when he comes to himself in bed he is seriously ill. He is paying the penalty for his heedlessness of Nature's warnings. Whenever there are undue fullness after eating, sour or bitter eructations, belching, and kindred symptoms it is the sign that disease is fastening on the stomach and digestive and nutritive tracts. Disease unless checked is always progressive, and it is only a question of time in such cases when the health and strength will be seriously undermined.

TAKE NO RISKS.
The wise man or woman will take no risks but will attend to the first symptoms of disease of the stomach. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery which has cured thousands of people who were suffering from the most aggravated forms of disease of the stomach and its allied organs of digestion and nutrition may be relied on quickly and permanently to cure such diseases in their earliest stages. Its action is prompt and efficient. Its effects are lasting. The whole body being fully nourished is built up with sound flesh, not with flabby fat.

"For about two years I suffered from a very chronic case of dyspepsia," writes R. E. Second, Esq., of 1111 Eastern Ave., Toronto, Ontario. "I tried a great number of remedies without success. I finally lost faith in them all. I was so far gone that I could not bear any solid food on my stomach for a long time; felt unpleasantly and depressed. Could not sleep nor follow my occupation (finishing). Some four years ago a friend recommended your 'Golden Medical Discovery.' After a week's treatment I had derived so much benefit that I continued the medicine. I have taken three bottles and am convinced it has in my case accomplished a permanent cure. I can conscientiously recommend it to the thousands of dyspeptics throughout the land."

1.3 cents; an increase of 1 cent. Freight earnings per mile, 1901, \$3,971.35; an increase of \$129.30 or 3.27 per cent. Freight earnings per train mile, 1901, \$1.93, an increase of 11 cents.

Train mileage in Ohio—Grand total of all train mileage, 1901, 77,339,490 miles; a decrease of 1,658,699 miles. Fatal accidents, telegraphic reports—Total number killed from January 1 to December 31, 1901, 494.

Equipment.—The number of locomotives reported in service in 1901 was 9,535; an increase of 273. Number of passenger cars reported in service 1901, 4,896 an increase of 146. Number of freight cars reported in service in 1901, 315,473, an increase of 29,385. Number of passenger and freight cars in service, 1901, 320,279; an increase of 26,181. Number of cars operated under lease in the state, 1901, 38,955, an increase of 2,598.

Railroads operated by electrical motive power.—The history of electric railroads begin with the incorporation of "The Soldier's Home Electric Railroad Company" on the 30th day of July A. D., 1889, with the terminal designated as the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers and the city of Dayton, all within the county of Montgomery and the State of Ohio. On the 24th day of July, A. D., 1891 the above named company was consolidated with the White Line Street Railroad company.

During the fiscal year ending November 15, 1901, 96 electric railroad companies were incorporated with a total capital stock of \$24,361,090. After numerous reorganizations and consolidations, we had, on May 1st, 1901, sixty-eight (68) companies operating electric railroads within Ohio.

These sixty-eight companies operate a total of 1,818.16 miles of electric railroad, an amount equal to one-fifth of the main track mileage of all the steam railroads of the state.

HOW STRENGTH IS RESTORED.

People as a rule have a somewhat vague idea of the manner in which life is sustained and supported. They know they must eat to live. But they do not consider that when the stomach and digestive and nutritive tracts are diseased, the object of eating, which is the nutrition of the body, cannot be perfectly attained. Only part of the food eaten is converted into nutrition, and the body is but partly nourished. Yet the body is required to do as much daily as if it were being fully nourished. The result is the wasting of the flesh, loss of weight which goes hand in hand with loss of strength, and general debility. When the diseased stomach is cured by "Golden Medical Discovery," the food is digested and assimilated and in the form of nourishment restores the strength and vigor of the body, the proof of this being written in the pounds and ounces of lost flesh which are rapidly regained. The only way in which physical strength can be made is by food, digested and assimilated.

When the stomach and its allied organs are diseased the digestion is imperfect, the assimilation partial, consequently there is a daily loss of strength. When Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures the diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition, the food eaten is properly digested and assimilated, the body is adequately nourished, and thus its strength is restored.

"I will express my thanks to you for the kindly advice you have given me in regard to my case," writes Miss Carrie J. Wharton, of Dunbar, Spotsylvania Co., Va. "When I wrote to you last spring I was in a terrible state of health. Had given up all hope of ever being better. I spit up my food all the time and it seemed sour as vinegar. I would have a bad sick headache every other week; in fact, my head never felt clear, and I was perfectly broken down under the strain of losing my food constantly. I was not able to have a physician attend me, but had read a great deal in your books of what your medicine had done for others, so I wrote you and got your advice. Bought two bottles of 'Golden Medical Discovery' and the first dose I took I felt better. When I had finished taking the two bottles the eating up had entirely stopped and my head was much better. I do not say I have made a complete cure of my case, but I feel more than that for me, as I was so very bad, but I believe your medicines are just what you have said of them."

"I carefully read the books you sent me and shall always speak a good word for the 'Golden Medical Discovery' whenever I have a chance.

"You can publish this if you think it worth while. It might induce some one else to try your medicine who was suffering as I did. It was by the testimonials of others that I was induced to try it. I shall always rely upon your advice and feel safe to do as you tell me."

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. It cures through the stomach diseases which have their origin in disease of the stomach and its allied organs. If the doctor offers a substitute for "Golden Medical Discovery," remember that the sole motive of substitution is to enable him to make the little more profit paid by the sale of his mentioned preparations.

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Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser containing more than a thousand large pages and over 700 illustrations, is sent free on receipt of stamps to pay expense of mailing only. Send 31 one-cent stamps for the cloth-bound volume or only 21 stamps for the book in paper covers. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Old Fashioned Cold Cures
are going out of date. The busy man of today cannot afford to be absent a whole day and undergo the martyrdom of the sweating process. Krause's Cold Cure are capsules of convenient size, and can be taken without danger while performing your usual duties. They cure in 24 hours. Price 25c. Sold by W. M. Melville.

Doubtful.
He—I'm sorry, Maria.
She—What's the good of being sorry after spilling the clean floor with yer dirty feet?
He—Well, I dunno, Maria. I don't s'pose you could law me any more if I wasn't sorry.—Puck.

Blown to Atoms.
The old idea that the body sometimes takes a powerful, drastic, purgative pill has been exploded; for Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are perfectly harmless, gently stimulate liver and bowels to expell poisonous matter, cleanse the system and absolutely cure constipation and sickheadache. Only 25c at H. F. Vorkamp's drug store.

Dentist.—When did your teeth first begin to trouble you, sir?
The Victim.—When I was about one year old.

Thousands Sent Into Exile.
Every year a large number of poor sufferers whose lungs are sore and racked with coughs are urged to go to another climate. But this is costly and not always sure. Don't be an exile when Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption will cure you at home. It's the most infallible medicine for Coughs, Colds, and all Throat and Lung diseases on earth. The first dose brings relief. Astonishing cures result from persistent use. Trial bottles free at H. F. Vorkamp's. Price 50c and \$1.00. Every bottle guaranteed.



HOW TO ECONOMIZE.

SOME men economize so closely on the number of words in a telegram that the receiver can not understand it. This is not sensible economy. Neither is it sensible economy to ruin garments of value with cheap soap or powerful chemicals that eat into the fabric. True economy uses Ivory Soap in the laundry. It is the most of pure soap that can be sold for the money. Chemically it is as innocent as water. Yet it does everything you can ask of a soap. Try it!

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For Member of Congress. We are authorized to announce the name of CHARLES H. ADKINS as a candidate for the endorsement by the Democrats of Allen county as their candidate for Member of Congress from this District.

Support the country weeklies, and in order to keep the editors under obligation to you instead of under obligation to the bankers, pay for your subscription in advance.—The Commenter.

President Roosevelt is said not to have consulted Wall Street in the selection of the successor to Secretary McKeen of the United States treasury, but that he deliberately turned down the recommendations voluntarily thrust upon him by the magnates of Wall street in regard to the matter.

Mr. Roosevelt has gracefully acknowledged that he was too fast in publicly reprimanding General Miles, and like a good little boy has invited General and Mrs. Miles to dine at the White House next week. Slowly but surely the president will learn that he is not the whole show, even if he is the big animal in the menagerie.

Governor Nash says that he will take no part in the organization of the general assembly, because he is kept too busy with the affairs of the office of governor and in preparing his inaugural address, which requires considerable time and thought. Wonder if Governor Nash could find time to accept the election to United States Senator if Senator Foraker should be honored and vanquished.

"Let us repeal our navigation laws," urges the Indianapolis News (Ind.), "and then if our merchant marine does not increase it will be time enough to talk of the other policy. Meanwhile the argument that because we are hiring other people to do our carrying trade—English and Danes and Norwegians chiefly—we are losing money is no stronger than the fact that we buy goods abroad is proof that we are losing money."

Washington dispatches state that Representative Norton, on the convening of congress, will reintroduce the penny postage bill reported by him in the Fifty sixth congress. He is quite confident that a majority of members of the house favor the measure. Chairman Loud, of the house committee on postoffices and post roads, is strongly opposed to the measure, and has been talking to the president against it. Dr. Norton, however, says that the new postmaster-general will favor it, having been long on record that way.

There is no time in the whole twelvemonth about which so many superstitions cluster as New Year's. Some form of divination to foretell the future is practiced in almost every land on January 1. This, of course, is practically the case with young people who desire to know whether they will get married during the coming year, or soon thereafter. In the country districts of England and Germany there is a tea and coffee test which is most satisfactory. A teaspoon is balanced carefully on the edge of a cup. Then tea or coffee, as the case may be, is dropped into it, drop by drop. Every drop that the spoon will hold without losing its balance means another year before the wedding. One or two large drops will usually upset the spoon, and so this is a very popular way of looking into the future.

The people of Chicago are keenly alive on the street railway question in the way of securing the best service and compelling the corporations to make a fair financial return for their valuable street franchises. The feeling in favor of municipal ownership in Chicago is strong and growing. The question may be submitted to the voters at the next city election. To obtain such a result a petition signed by 104,000 voters is necessary, and of this number 50,000, it is reported, have already been secured. The movement is of special interest in the light of what has been done by the street railway committee of the city council. In recommending a plan for franchise extension, that body, a short time ago, reported that "the immediate municipalization of the street railways of Chicago as a practical proposition most persons will readily admit, is out of the question. The wisdom of such municipalization in the future is an open question." It is now believed that the effort to have the voters decide for or against municipal ownership is being urged by Mayor Harrison.—New Orleans States.

Brush Scores Spalding. Cincinnati, Jan. 4.—John T. Brush, president of the Cincinnati baseball club, notified the local syndicate who desired to purchase his holdings in the club that his stock was not for sale. He scored A. G. Spalding for the part he took in the meeting, saying that he had raised the issue of baseball to anarchy during his brief term of disputed control. Until the issue is settled, Mr. Brush said, he must remain loyal to those with him in the present unsettled condition of the league, and closed by saying that when peace is established he may welcome a renewal of the offer of the Cincinnati syndicate.

HANNA

Carries the Day at Columbus.

McKinnon Elected Speaker Over Price by a Vote of 38 to 30.

Columbus, Jan. 4.—The Hanna people have defeated the Forakerites hands down. The caucus ballot taken this afternoon stood, McKinnon, 38; Price, 30.

RAISE

Affects 45,000 Pennsylvania Trainmen

And the Switchmen and Electrical Force Are Also to be Included.

"An increase of four to 12 per cent. in the wages of about 45,000 trainmen will be made soon by the Pennsylvania road. It was it is said, the intention of the company to make the announcement of the increase today, but it was not done because the system of adjustment had not been perfected.

However, the new scale of wages will take effect from January 1. It will apply to all the trainmen on all the lines owned or operated by the company. The clerical force is not included in the plan. For months the officials of the company have been working on a plan as they term it for an "adjustment of wages." The officers of the company are not inclined to talk about the change.

The Pennsylvania company employs on its system east of Pittsburgh and Erie, about 90,000 men, of which number fully one-half are used in the running of trains. It is hinted that the clerical force will come in for consideration later in the year.

Change Would be Welcome. It is rumored that a slight change may soon be authorized by division superintendent H. F. McKell in the rules defining the duties of freight conductors on the Sandusky division of the L. E. & W. The change rumored is one that will be heartily welcomed by the conductors if inaugurated, and it will be the cancelling of the rule requiring conductors to take car and train records of their trains. Taking car seals is one of the most tedious and difficult duties the freight conductors have to contend with, especially in cold weather when snow and ice are usually found clinging to the seals.

Brown Denies the Story. Concerning the published statement to the effect that the Lake Shore road is about to establish St. Louis service out of Toledo via the Vandallia to compete with the Walush in retaliation against the latter for its entrance into the Chicago field, Vice President and General Manager Brown, of the Lake Shore, said: "There is absolutely no truth in the report. While we at some future time may inaugurate a St. Louis service via Butler and the Vandallia, the matter, up to date, has not even been discussed."

C. H. & D. Changes. John A. Weigel, freight claim agent of the C. H. & D., has resigned to become traffic manager of the Philip Carey Manufacturing company. He is succeeded by E. M. O'Dowd, his former chief clerk.

J. R. McCartney, city passenger agent of the C. H. & D., at Cincinnati, has resigned to become the traveling representative of a Chicago mercantile house. His successor has not as yet been appointed.

General Notes. C. S. Anderson has resigned his position in the round house to accept another one at Lima, his old home.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to thank friends and neighbors, who so kindly assisted us during the illness and death of our beloved wife and mother; also for the beautiful floral offerings.
Henry S. Simons and family.

RECOVERING

From the Effects of a Surgical Operation.

The Lima friends of Mr. John E. Owens will be interested in learning that he is recovering nicely from a surgical operation that he underwent last Thursday in the Cincinnati hospital. The operation was successfully performed and Mr. Owens expects to be about again in a short time.

BROKEN DOWN

One of the Pumps at the Eton Station

And There May be a Fuel Gas Shortage in Consequence.

The low pressure in fuel gas lines which prevails at this time is explained by the gas people to be due to an accident which happened yesterday to one of their big pumps at Eton Station, Indiana. As a result of the accident the pump is incapacitated until a new casting can be brought from Connecticut. In order that no time shall be wasted in making the repairs, the immense casting, weighing about 5000 pounds was ordered through by express. In the meantime, should the weather become extremely cold there will be a shortage of gas at certain hours of the day. The gas people expect that it will take from 8 to 4 days to repair the damage and get the pump to working smoothly again.

DEFEATED

Was Hanna's Candidate for Senate Clerk.

Columbus, Jan. 4.—Senator Harrison named F. E. Scooby, for clerk. The name of W. B. Uhl, Hanna's candidate was presented by Senator Wirt. Scooby was elected by a vote of 14 to 7.

BREAD

Took a Sudden Drop This Morning.

The delivery wagon belonging to the bakery of Earl Baclman on north Main street, was carried at a merry clip up that thoroughfare this morning by the frightened horse, and the contents were distributed along the route. Tom Fitzmaurice captured the runaway before any serious damage was done.

Started by Milner.

Johannesburg, Jan. 4.—Lord Milner, the British high commissioner in South Africa, started the machinery of the Johannesburg Star anew, and the Star has resumed its publication, which was interrupted by the war.

Uncle Sam and Intervention.

Paris, Jan. 4.—The Courrier Du Soir publishes another report to the effect that the United States is preparing the way for intervention by the powers in South Africa.

Shaw at Washington.

Washington, Jan. 4.—Governor Leslie M. Shaw of Iowa, who is to succeed Hon. Lyman J. Gage as secretary of the treasury, has arrived in Washington. He is staying at the Arlington hotel, and had been there but a short time when, in response to a message from the White House, he walked to the president's home and remained with him for some time. He will confer with Secretary Gage as to the latter's wishes in surrendering the secretaryship of the treasury. The governor said he would be ready to assume the office by Jan. 23 or 24, but he would suit the date largely to Mr. Gage's wishes in the matter.

Story Contradicted.

London, Jan. 4.—Lord Roberts has issued an official contradiction of the stories circulated on the continent of the violation of Boer women by the British troops in South Africa and the employment of Boer female refugees for immoral purposes.

Uppercut Did It.

Philadelphia, Jan. 4.—James Ferns of Kansas knocked out Jack Bennett of McKeesport, Pa., in the second round at the Industrial Athletic club. A terrible left-hand punch, followed by a right-hand uppercut, did the work.

FAUROT

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Monday, Jan. 6th.

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LOVER'S LANE.

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New phone 332.

A SPANISH COUNT CURED OF LA GRIPPE.



COUNT DE ORIES

N EARLY everybody is having la grippe again. It resembles somewhat in the beginning a severe cold. A chill or cold spell is followed by aching bones, sore throat, headache, cough, and general weakness. Its course may be quite slight or severe, but in either case it nearly always leaves one in a miserable condition.

Unless Peruna is taken it will be weeks or months before a person regains his usual health. If the victim is fortunate enough to begin the use of Peruna at the commencement of the attack the course of the grip is much shortened, and the system is left in a normal state.

People who have had la grippe, but are still suffering from the after-effects, should not neglect to take Peruna, as it will promptly restore them to health.

Henry Distin, the inventor and maker of all the band instruments of the Henry Distin Manufacturing Co., writes the following from 1441 South Ninth street, Philadelphia, Pa.:

"I had a bad attack of la grippe last December which lasted more than three months, and which left me with catarrh, and several of my friends advised me to try Peruna."

I began with a bottle the first week in March and it certainly did me a great deal of good. I was so well satisfied that I purchased another bottle and followed the directions, and can say that it has cured me."—Henry Distin.

A large per cent of those who are afflicted with this epidemic, instead of getting well as they ought to, will have chronic catarrh as the result. This is almost invariably the case unless Peruna is taken as soon as possible after the grip begins.

Every one who has observed the effect of Peruna during the last three epidemics of la grippe positively knows that this remedy will cure it permanently. The fact is, however, that a great multitude of people will not take Peruna, and a foundation for chronic catarrh will be laid.

Even in cases where chronic catarrh has affected the lungs, and the early stages of catarrhal consumption have been developed, Peruna can be relied upon as a prompt and lasting cure. La grippe and catarrh are at present the two great enemies of life in the land. Peruna is a cure for either.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, O.

Count Segundo de Ories was a Carlist exile. The signature of his uncle, Louis de Ories, is found with that of John Quincy Adams ceding Florida to the United States in a treaty with Spain. The Count is forty-six years of age, an exile from Orléans, situated in the northern part of Spain, and has been exiled since 1875; he is wealthy, and has traveled and studied the customs, habits and languages of twenty-five different nations.

In a recent letter to The Peruna Medicine Co., of Columbus, Ohio, the Count gives his endorsement to their great catarrh remedy, Peruna, in the following words:

The Canfield, Atlantic City, N. J.

Gentlemen—"Last winter my secretary had a severe attack of la grippe which was cured effectually by the use of four bottles of Peruna, so when I contracted the same unpleasant sickness last fall I at once sent for a bottle. It truly worked wonders, and removed the sickening and sore feeling I had within a few days. I would not be without it now for any money, and when I go away I carry Peruna as a valuable requisite to my traveling outfit."—JULIAN SEGUNDO, CONDE DE ORIES.

SEMI-ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE.

All-Wool Melton Suits, worth \$15.00, at \$10.00.
All-Wool Melton Suits, worth \$12.00, at \$9.00.
All-Wool Melton Suits, worth \$10.00 and \$12.00, at \$7.00.
Dutchess Trousers \$1.25, \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00.
Boys' and Children's Overcoats at 1-4 off.
Boys' and Children's Suits at prices that will appeal to economical buyers.
Winter Caps and Underwear—all styles, all colors, all prices.

If You Want the Best Goods in the Market at the Lowest Possible Prices We Have Them.

ALBRECHT BROS.

The American Clothiers.

"Meet Me at the Lima House Corner."

WANTS, FOR RENT, LOST, FOR SALE, ETC.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Six room house, cor. of Market and Scott streets; nice location and in good repair; rent \$19 per month. Inquire of O. C. Cope land, 109 east Wayne street. 9-31

Makes assimilation perfect, healthy blood, firm muscles, strong nerves, quickens the brain, makes and keeps you well. Good medicine, Rocky Mountain Tea. 25c. Ask your druggist

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As practiced by us reduces the dread of the dental chair to that degree which makes the extracting, filling and crowning of teeth a pleasure. We guarantee our work and our success ought to make you one of our patients.

Best Teeth \$7.00
Good Teeth \$5.00
Gold Fillings \$1.00 up
Silver Fillings 75 cents
Painless Extracting 50 cents
Extracting 25 cents
Our \$5.00 Gold Crowns and Bridge Work \$3.00

EXTRACTING FREE WHEN PLATES ARE ORDERED.

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HAVE

Big Plans for the Season At the Park.

McBeth's Will be a Big Drawing Card

When the Proposed New Attractions are Added to the List.

Other Parties May Lease it, but if Not the Western Ohio Will Spend a Large Sum in Improvements.

McBeth's park will be in full swing next season, but at this time it is not definitely known whether the Western Ohio railway people will conduct it as before, or lease it to one of the several parties with whom negotiations have been pending. A representative of the company, in conversation, stated that if the park did not pass out of their control, another big sum of money would be spent in adding new and better attractions, including perhaps a scenic railroad. It is yet too early to give anything like an intelligent idea of what is proposed, but as years will be running from St. Marys and Wapakoneta by the time the season for opening the park arrives, the company desires to have plenty of announcements to attract visitors not only from Lima, but all points along the line.

The vanderbilt attractions will be of a high order, and in all probability a new and much larger auditorium will be built. This improvement will depend largely on the attendance, and may not be added until later in the season. In connection with the park, although outside of it, there is talk now of erecting a club house which may also be fitted up with commodious quarters for the boarding of the artists who will be engaged as attractions during the summer. Several have stated their willingness to go into the venture and if enough members can be secured, several thousand dollars will be expended.

The Western Ohio expected to have cars running between Lima and Wapakoneta before this but disappointments followed and while they are positive that it will now only be a short time, they decline to fix any positive date. The road is in splendid condition, but the work at the St. Marys power house has retarded the opening of the line.

MRS. B. SMITH

Of Bellefontaine Died This Morning.

Mrs. Berry Smith, of Bellefontaine died this morning after a lingering illness. She was an aunt of Mrs. Glenn Wallace and Miss Letta Reid, of this city.

NATIONAL UNION.

Ottawa Council meets Monday night, Jan. 6, 1902, in the old Masonic temple, corner of Main and High streets, for the public installation of officers. Senate Deputy Hunt will be present. A musical program will also be given, and light refreshments served. All National members and ladies are invited to attend.

TORREY KIRK, Sec'y.
A. G. LUTZ, Pres.

PARALYTIC

Stroke Suffered by Israel Bowsher.

A telephone message was received here this afternoon to the effect that Israel Bowsher, of Shawnee township, one of the best known and most highly respected pioneers of Allen county, had suffered a paralytic stroke at an early hour this morning, at his home near Hume, about 6 miles from this city. Mr. Bowsher has passed his seventieth year and his condition is considered quite serious.

We, the jury find that the deceased came to his death from heart failure, caused by not taking Rocky Mountain Tea made by Medicine Medicine Co. 35c. Ask your druggist.

GOSPEL

Regiment Contains a Number of Boys.

Two Battalions of Three Companies Each

With Col. Eugene Little in Command—New Officers Appointed and the Regiment is Flourishing.

New officers for the Boys Gospel Regiment have been appointed and the organization is in a flourishing condition. The roster contains the names of boys who have hustled to make it a success and they will continue to do so.

Geo. Ward Anderson, the pastor of Epworth church, and one of the most brilliant orators of this part of the state, will address the regiment each Sunday of this month.

Any boy in Lima between 9 and 16 years of age can join and receive a membership card by applying to the recruiting sergeant any Sunday at two o'clock at two o'clock, at the Y. M. C. A. Following is the roster:

REGIMENTAL OFFICERS.
Col., Eugene Little; Lieut. Col., Karl D. Figley; Reg. Clerk, Clem Thompson; musical director, Harley Holmes; Recruit. Sergt. Robt. Black; Asst. Recruit. Sergt., Leverage Reely.

OFFICERS 1ST BATTALION.
Major Loren Davies.

CO. A.
Capt., Chas. Mills; 1st. Lieut., Ralph DeVoe; 2nd. Lieut., Winston Risley; 1st. Sergt., Newton Woodworth; 2nd. Sergt., Harry Osgood; 3rd. Sergt., Jas. Williams; 4th. Sergt., Harry Simpson; 5th. Sergt., Earl Sheek.

CO. B.
Capt., Carl Bassler; 1st. Lieut., Walter Ridener; 2nd. Lieut., John Gamble; 1st. Sergt., Ross Stoniker; 2nd. Sergt., Valie Miller; 3rd. Sergt., George Morris; 4th. Sergt., Glenn Dickens; 5th. Sergt., Manley Osgood.

CO. C.
Capt., Hugh Boone; 1st. Lieut., Wm. Kissel; 2nd. Lieut., Oscar Marchant; 1st. Sergt., Edmund McClurg; 2nd. Sergt., Calvin Creps; 3rd. Sergt., Harry Gray; 4th. Sergt., Richard Shappell; 5th. Sergt., Robt. Kelly.

OFFICERS 2ND BATTALION.
Major, Robert Kern.

CO. D.
Capt., Leroy Cochran; 1st. Lieut., Howard Horn; 2nd. Lieut., Walter Argue; 1st. Sergt., Kenneth Hood; 2nd. Sergt., Tillman Kimmey; 3rd. Sergt., Fred Smiley; 4th. Sergt., Raymond Howard; 5th. Sergt., Don Copeland.

CO. E.
Capt., Walter Conrath; 1st. Lieut., Ed. Stoppard; 2nd. Lieut., Clark Bennett; 1st. Sergt., Ralph Wheeler; 2nd. Sergt., Carl Quinn; 3rd. Sergt., Herman Hiatt; 4th. Sergt., Darel Phillips; 5th. Sergt., Harold Dobbins.

CO. F.
Capt., Homer Little; 1st. Lieut., Eugene Hillman; 2nd. Lieut., Harry Buchanan; 1st. Sergt., Fred Skinner; 2nd. Sergt., Everett Jones; 3rd. Sergt., Wm. Moses; 4th. Sergt., Geo. Williams; 5th. Sergt., Fred Smith.

DR. BROWN

Former Editor of "Ram's Horn," for an Address.

The secretary of the Y. M. C. A. has been very fortunate in securing some excellent out-of-town speakers to address the men's meetings on Sunday afternoons, but he has been doubly fortunate in being able to secure Dr. Elijah P. Brown, formerly editor of "The Ram's Horn," and known as the Ram's Horn man, to address the Sunday afternoon meeting.

Dr. Brown has a peculiarly fascinating address. His subject is "Picking Out a Pinnacle." He is a fluent and easy speaker and will bring new thoughts and new inspirations to the men of Lima.

On account of the smallness of the Y. M. C. A. hall the meeting will be held in Trinity M. E. church. Special music has been provided for the occasion. All men are given a hearty invitation to hear this address. Admission free.

The winter term of school at Lima College opens next Monday.

O-y-s-t-e-r-s at Townsend's.

DOES NOT DISAPPOINT.

The New Discovery for Catarrh Seems to Possess Remarkable Merit. A new catarrh cure has recently appeared which so far as tested has been remarkably successful in curing



all forms of catarrh, whether in the head, throat, bronchial tubes, or in stomach and liver.

The remedy is in tablet form, pleasant and convenient to take and no special secrecy is maintained as to what it contains, the tablet being a scientific combination of Blood root, Red gum and similar valuable and harmless antiseptics.

The safe and effective catarrh cure may be found at any drug store under the name of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets.

Whether the catarrh is located in the nose, throat, bronchial tubes, or stomach, the tablets seem to act with equal success, removing the stuffy feeling in head and nose, clearing the mucous membrane of throat and trachea from catarrhal secretions, which cause the tickling, coughing, hawking and gagging so annoying to every catarrh sufferer.

Nasal catarrh generally leads to ulceration, in some cases to such an extent as to destroy the nose entirely and in many old cases of catarrh the bones of the head become diseased. Nasal catarrh gradually extends to the throat and bronchial tubes and very often to the stomach, causing that very obstinate trouble, catarrh of the stomach.

Catarrh is a systematic poison, inherent in the blood, and local washes, douches, salves, inhalers and sprays can have no effect on the real cause of the disease. An internal remedy which acts upon the blood is the only rational treatment and Stuart's Catarrh Tablets is the safest of all internal remedies, as well as the most convenient and satisfactory from a medical standpoint.

Dr. Eaton recently stated that he had successfully used Stuart's Catarrh Tablets in old chronic cases, even where ulceration had extended so far as to destroy the septum of the nose. He says, "I am pleasantly surprised almost every day by the excellent results from Stuart's Catarrh Tablets. It is remarkable how effectively they remove the excessive secretion and bring about a healthy condition of the mucous membranes of the nose, throat and stomach."

All druggists sell complete treatment of the Tablets at 50 cents and a little book giving the symptoms and causes of the various forms of catarrh, will be mailed free by addressing F. A. Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich.

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At McCullough's Lake the finest of the season. O-2t

COL. MOULTON

Will Install Post and Corps Officers Here.

Tuesday night, January 7, the officers-elect will meet in Mart Armstrong Post hall for drill. On next Wednesday night, January 8, will be held an open meeting in Memorial hall, of the Women's Relief Corps and Post for the installation of officers elect. Comrade Moulton, our candidate for department commander, will be the installing officer for the Post.

The exercises will be varied with patriotic music by a quartette of select singers.

W. W. LOWES, Com.
E. F. DAVIS, Adj't.

F. W. DRAKE

Buys the Feed Business of Biddinger & Kerr.

Mr. Frank W. Drake, who has for a number of years been connected with the Solar Refining Co., has purchased the feed store of Biddinger & Kerr, on south Main street, and will soon retire from the refinery and take charge of the business. Mr. Drake has a large acquaintance in the city and his new business venture is sure to prove a successful one.

This notice will benefit every person within 50 miles of Lima.

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Bought entire stock of Shoes, Clothing, Hats, Shirts, Underwear, Hosiery, Etc. from THE GLOBE, of Lima, at

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Now begins at our store and continues until all the Globe goods are sold. At the reliable store,

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Prices—25c, 50c and 75c.

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to nature, by caring for your teeth. Neglect brings in its wake, many painful results which could often be averted by immediate attention.

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My class of professional men are more conservative, more careful in giving advice to those seeking relief from the renal tract than clergymen. Their recommendations are based on the latest scientific knowledge. When I was a student at the University of Pennsylvania, I was struck by the fact that Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy was the only one that was used by all the medical men in the hospital. I have since then used it myself and have found it to be the most effective remedy for kidney trouble that I have ever used. It has cured me of my kidney trouble and I have been able to resume my normal life. I have since then used it myself and have found it to be the most effective remedy for kidney trouble that I have ever used. It has cured me of my kidney trouble and I have been able to resume my normal life.

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Chicago Girl Who, in a Frequent Guest at Encampments.

Miss Lucy Lee Hill and her sister, Mrs. Frances Russell Hale, daughter of General A. P. Hill, the Confederate general, who was killed at the battle of Petersburg in 1865, were the special guests of the A. P. Hill camp, Petersburg, Va., at the grand encampment of Confederate veterans of Virginia this year. The two southern girls, with their mother, now Mrs. K. G. Forsyth, have been residents of Chicago since 1893, when Miss Lucy Lee Hill assumed her position as commissioner from Kentucky to the World's fair.



MISS LUCY LEE HILL.

Miss Hill was born in Kentucky, and she and her sister were both of the Blue Grass State. She has for several years been an employee of the civil service commission. General Hill was one of the noted commanders of the Confederacy and an intimate friend of General Lee, after whom his daughter was named. As one of the prominent southern women in the west Miss Hill has been invited to and has attended almost every one of the Confederate Grand Army encampments.

Actress Goes to College.

Mrs. Otis Skinner has become a student at the University of Chicago. Although Mrs. Skinner has been the most successful leading lady of her husband's company, she did not care to take the part of Francesca in the "Da Rimini" play this year, and so while Mr. Skinner is on the road Mrs. Skinner is studying literature at the university.

Every morning Mrs. Skinner goes over to the university and at 9:30 climbs four flights of iron stairs in Cobb hall to the English department. She is taking a course on English literature from 1700 to 1744. Her instructor is Miss Myra Reynolds, an associate professor, who is so highly esteemed that one of the faculty men says, "Miss Reynolds is the best man in the department."

The course which Mrs. Skinner is taking covers in minute detail the literature of the first half of the eighteenth century. Before a student is permitted to take this course thorough preparation in a general course and in the study of Shakespeare is required.

Mrs. Skinner has gained her preparation for the course not in the conventional method of study alone, but in interpretation and impersonation for the stage. She was Miss Durbin, a Denver girl, and made her first appearance six years ago in the company of Mme. Modjeska. Mr. Skinner being her leading man at the time.—Chicago Record-Herald.

White For Evening Wear.

Paris will doubtless set the seal of fashion upon white fabrics for evening wear this winter, for every French lady of the higher official classes had an elaborate toilette blanche constructed for the receptions in connection with the visit of the czar and carina to Compiegne. And in having thus to turn out a very large number of gowns of different styles the great possibilities of white have been revealed. It is said by those present at one of these receptions that the effect of all these colorful dresses, adorned only with rich laces and in every fabric from satin to mousseline de soie, was most beautiful. It was, of course, in deference to the known preference of the czarina for snowy costumes for women that these salons blanches were held. But the result has been so beautiful as a whole and individually the dresses have been such artistic confections that it is not at all unlikely that we shall find this winter, Ouida has said that all women should at all times wear white. It is a view largely shared by the czarina, who never wears any color at night. Mingled with silver and gold, white can be made to look richer than any color ever sent forth by the most cunning dyer. It would be interesting to note how many variations could be produced without the aid of color at all.

In a Successful Farmer.

Miss Frederica Sanford, the highly accomplished daughter of the late Henry S. Sanford, former minister to Belgium, herself works a farm on the outskirts of Derby, Conn. She raises garden produce and chickens and takes them to town and sells them for the markets and hotels. In this way she makes a comfortable living for herself and her mother. Mrs. Sanford still lives in the old Sanford homestead with her two daughters.

Miss Frederica gets up and goes away to her farm at sunrise, and it is often long after sunset before she returns from her hard day's work. Her sister,

Miss Wilhelmina, has been visiting at the villa of George Vanderbilt at Newport for several weeks.

The Sanford homestead passed into the possession of Seth Low, president of Columbia university, two years ago. He purchased the farm for Miss Frederica. In art and music she is especially gifted, but she particularly likes farming. She employs a Japanese servant and intrusts the care of the farm over night to him. Miss Sanford's father was appointed minister to Belgium by President Lincoln and served during the Lincoln and Johnson administrations. He was also an attaché at several other European courts.

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Doesn't cure your piles, your money won't be returned. It is the most healing medicine.

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AUTOMOBILES IN COMMERCE

Former Gives His Views Regarding the Vehicle's Possibilities.

Automobile is a royal sport, as many one knows who has ridden in the chauffeur's seat of a fast horsepower machine on a well kept country road, writes Henri Ford in January Success. But I do not plead for the automobile as a pleasure machine. I am not a faddist. The automobile is a commercial necessity. Its place is with the electric street car, the locomotive and the traction engine.

While automobilism is now a fact among well to do Americans, although I think it will find a permanent place in recreation and sport, the future of the automobile does not depend upon its use by pleasure seekers. Its great commercial value is not yet appreciated even by those who are now interested in the development of the machine. It is a great thing, however, in America "where is money" more than anywhere else in the world. The great newspapers in their race to get the latest news from the distant parts of their cities now employ automobiles to carry the papers from the press rooms to the newspapers. They travel faster than the electric cars. To hospitals, to save human lives, send automobile ambulances to transport the injured more safely and quickly to the surgeons. The large shops are greatly improving their delivery service by using automobiles instead of vehicles drawn by horses. The problem of transporting light freight about a large city like New York is being solved by the automobile. Street railways have tried it, but they could not do it successfully because of the interference with passenger traffic and the impossibility of delivering goods away from the few streets where tracks are laid. An automobile delivery wagon does not have its route marked out by rails.

I look to see all the ordinary work of transportation in the great cities of the world, such as New York, London, Paris and Chicago, done without horses, and I think the change will be made much sooner than most people have any idea of. Everything will be done with greater dispatch, the streets will be less congested and, most important of all, clean. Think what a crowded thoroughfare like Broadway, New York city, would be with no horses in sight, only motor vehicles spending about fifteen and twenty minutes.

W. L. Yancy, Paducah, Ky., writes: "I had a severe case of kidney disease and three of the best physicians in southern Kentucky treated me without success. I was induced to try Foley's Kidney Cure. The first bottle gave immediate relief and three bottles cured me permanently. I gladly recommend this wonderful remedy." Take no substitute.

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NOTICE OF FILING OF PETITION

For Authority to Encumber Church Property.

Notice is hereby given that on the 24th day of December, 1901, W. O. Roberts, W. W. Williams, J. L. Sheick, J. L. Davies and G. W. Griffith, as trustees of the Presbyterian church of Gomer, Ohio, filed in the court of common pleas of Allen county, Ohio, a certain petition praying for authority to procure a loan of five hundred (\$500.00) dollars for the purpose of completing a house of worship now being erected on the premises of said church, located in said village of Gomer, and described as follows: Lot number ten, (10), in the village of Gomer, except therefrom the following described tract: Commencing at the southwest corner of said lot;

thence east on the south line of said lot, thirty (30), feet; thence north on a line parallel with the west line of said lot, twenty (20) feet; thence west on a line parallel with said south line of said lot, thirty (30) feet to the west line of said lot; thence south to the place of beginning; and to secure such loan by mortgage on said premises.

Said petition will be for hearing on and after the 27th of January, 1902.

Trustees of the Gomer Presbyterian Church.

Henderson & Rogers, attorneys for Trustees.

Dec. 28-4 wks.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Jacob Reichelderfer, deceased. The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as executor of the estate of Jacob Reichelderfer, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased. Dated this 28th day of December, A. D. 1901.

AMANDA REICHELDERFER, Layton & Son, Attorneys. Executors.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

Notice is hereby given that the stockholders meeting of the Allen County Building and Loan Association Company will be held on January 4th, 1902 at the office of the association, to elect three directors and transact any other business that may come before the meeting. Meeting will be open from 7 to 9 p. m.

AMOS YOUNG, Secretary.

Dec 22th

ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

Before F. E. Duffield, Justice of the Peace, Ottawa township, Allen county, Ohio.

Wm. Pifer, plaintiff, vs. Barney Jones, defendant.

On the 15th day of November, 1901, said Justice of the Peace issued an order of attachment, in the above action, for the sum of eleven and 50-100 dollars (\$11.50).

Lima, Ohio, Dec. 19, 1901.

WM. PIFER, Plaintiff.

55-6 wks

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ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

Case No. 5355. Page 45.

Anna E. Marmora vs. David Machan.

Before Wm. E. Reilly, Justice of the Peace, within and for Ottawa township, Allen county, Ohio.

The defendant will take notice that on the 26th day of November, A. D. 1901, said Justice issued an order of attachment in the above entitled action for the sum of \$163.50 and that said attachment will be for hearing upon the 19th day of January, A. D. 1902, at 9 o'clock a. m., at his said office.

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THE NORTHERN OHIO RAILWAY COMPANY.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Northern Ohio Railway Company, for the election of directors and other general purposes, will be held at the office of The Lake Erie & Western Railroad Company, in Lima, Ohio, on Monday, January 13th, 1902.

The transfer books will be closed December 21st, 1901, at 12 o'clock noon, and will be reopened January 14th, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m.

CHARLES F. COX, Secretary.

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Geology.

1. Describe the glacial period. What evidence of it do we find in Ohio?
2. What is gypsum, marble, chalk, peat, marl?
3. Describe the formation of caverns. Of water-falls.
4. Describe the geologic process of the formation of our limestone rocks.
5. What can you say of James D. Dana, and Alexander Winchell?
6. What facts are taught by fossils?
7. Compare the articulates with the mollusks and the radiates.
8. How do the trade winds produce the ocean currents? In what courses do these currents of the sea move?
9. How are tidal valleys formed? How do tides affect animal life?
10. What relation does the deposit of sediment bear to stratification?

English Literature.

1. Indicate what has been your course of study and reading in English and American literature.
2. Give the time when the following lived, and name a masterpiece of each: Oliver Wendell Holmes, Percy Bysshe Shelley, Edmund Spenser, Daniel Defoe.
3. Who wrote—On the Morning of Christ's Nativity? Utopia? The Old Oak Tree? Hail Columbia? The Star-Spangled Banner?
4. What is the style of Shakespeare's writings? Name his best poems.
5. What had literature to do with the success of the American Revolution? Name the principal writers of the Revolutionary period.
6. What are classics? Name those which you have read.
7. Who is the leading lyric poet of America?
8. Name two American essayists, two American humorists, and three American naturalists.
9. Give a sketch of J. G. Whittier, and name his principal works.
10. What is meant by the phrase "It is only in books that one can travel in time"?

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5. What verbs have no infinitives or participles?
6. How can you distinguish a relative adverb?
7. Parse words in black face: His name is John. The boy is worse today. No one else need apply. Gold is worth more than silver. Where are the George Washingtons of today?
8. Distinguish between a participial noun and a participle with the construction of a noun. Between a participial adjective and a participle with the construction of an adjective.
9. How do you assign a lesson in English grammar?
10. Diagram:—Better be a nettle in the side Of his friend, than his echo.

C. L. FESS.

Book-Keeping.

1. Define the following: Book-keeping, Debtor, Creditor, debit and credit.
2. Name and define each method of book-keeping.
3. For what are the following used: Ledger? Day-book? Cash-book? Invoice-book? Sales-book?
4. Define the following: Assets, liabilities, net capital, profit sheet, and inventory.
5. What are the following: Drawer? Payee? Acceptor? Indorser? Promisor?
6. What is a Promissory Note? Demand Note? Individual Note? Joint Note? Joint and Several Note?
7. What is an interest-bearing note? A non-interest-bearing note? A negotiable note? A non-negotiable note? A collateral note?
8. What is a check? Draft? Bill of exchange? Acceptance? Protest?
9. What is a partnership? Corporation? Partner? Firm? Charter?
10. How indorse a note? Accept a draft? Protest a draft? Become surety on a note? Avoid liability of payment by indorsement?

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Geography.

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2. In what direction is London from the north pole? What is the situation of all places whose true time agrees with that of New York city?
3. Where are the Orkney Islands? Lakes of Killarney? Sierra Morena Mts? Western Ghats?
4. Locate Washington city and give a brief history and description of it.
5. What three countries control the islands between Japan and Australia?
6. Locate each of the following cities of Ohio and tell for what each is most noted: Toledo, Cleveland, Youngstown, Springfield, Sandusky.
7. What animals and plants are peculiar to the African life region?
8. Who were the Incas? The Aztecs? State briefly what you know about these people.
9. What and where are the following: Vistula, Duluth, Azores, Sorata, Ladoga?
10. What is meant by Standard Time?

EDWARD FAETH.

Algebra.

1. What is quantity? When called magnitude? When called multitude? What is a theorem? Problem?
2. What is Algebra? What are symbols? Name the several signs used in algebraic solution and illustrate their use.
3. What is the reciprocal of a quantity? When is a polynomial said to be homogeneous?
4. What is a quadratic trinomial? Illustrate. What is an identical equation? A literal equation?
5. What is meant by generalization? Explain by an example.
6. Seven years ago the age of "A" was just three times that of "B"; and seven years hence the age of "A" will be just double "B's"; what are their ages?
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Rhetoric.

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3. Define—Simile, Allegory, Epigram, Metonymy, and Hyperbole.
4. Distinguish between beauty and sublimity. Prose and poetry.
5. Where tastes differ, what is the standard? What is literary taste?
6. Name some of the essential properties of style.
7. What is literary criticism? Who is our most noted literary critic?
8. Distinguish between theme and topic. How does a Thesis differ from an Orator?

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$x - y = 2$
 $x^2 + y^2 = 21 - 4xy$

9. Find value of x.

$x^2 + a^2 + b^2 + c^2$
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MANY EVENTS

Noted in the Realms in Which Lima Society Mingles.

Activity Among the Clubs Call Into Notice Numerous Pleasant Gatherings. Miss Ewing Entertains.

The Lisztianers will meet Tuesday evening with Mrs. Harold B. Adams, of north Jameson avenue.

The Modern Friscilla society met yesterday with Mrs. J. J. Groves, of west Spring street. Dainty sewing and conversation filled the hours till early tea time when the hostess served a delightful luncheon.

Yvone and Ida Ebersole, of north Pierce street, are home from spending the holidays with their grandmother at Hamler, Ohio.

Last evening Dr. and Mrs. T. K. Jacobs, of Bellefontaine avenue, opened their home to the members of the T. & T. club. The interesting program was "The House, the Evolution of the Residence," with talks and papers on this subject.

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Merritt Reichelderfer entertained about twenty ladies in compliment to her niece, Miss Clara Halliday, of Chicago. Progressive pedro was enjoyed followed by a five o'clock tea of seasonable dishes.

This afternoon at three o'clock at the home of Miss Madge Ewing, of west Market street, there was a novel and pretty affair carried out cleverly, doing honor to Miss Hazel Brown, who on the thirtieth of this month is to become the bride of Mr. Eugene Christen. The party was made up of the buds, composing a pretty bouquet of girls of near Miss Brown's age, and were all awaiting her arrival when she was compelled to walk down stairs to their dining of the bridal chorus, "Here Comes the Bride," and when she reached the doorway to the parlor she was literally showered with a descent of pretty gifts pouring from above, much to the surprise and momentary discomfort of the bride to be. A gay hour then ensued with music and dainty refreshments.

The Twentieth Century club meets Monday evening with Miss Zelma Birge, of west North street.

Miss Esther Wheeler leaves Tuesday for Cleveland to resume her studies at Miss Middlebarger's school.

Yesterday was a red letter day for the Sutorium circle, who were the guests of Mrs. Louis Fall, of west Spring street. The program given was a talk on Early German Civilization, by Mrs. James Campbell. The Town of Delit was described by Mrs. A. McKeen, and a poem "Old Delit Ware" was read by Mrs. Wm. Hav. Current events then followed, after which the hostess served an excellent supper. Additional guests enjoying the occasion were Mrs. John Haver, of Columbus; Mrs. G. M. McCullough, Mrs. J. V. Overy, Miss Campbell, of Bellefontaine; Mrs. Solmer, of Columbus; Miss Carter, of Zanesville; Mrs. A. Glutser, Mrs. W. T. Agarter and Mrs. James Smith.

Mr. Robert King, who has been the guest of J. B. Townsend and family, has returned to his home in Chicago.

Miss Ruth Wheeler on Monday, returns to St. Mary's college at Knoxville, Ill.

Mr. Barry Townsend leaves tomorrow for the Mt. Clair military school at Mt. Clair, N. J.

Miss Bessie Agarter, of Bellefontaine avenue, was the hostess for a merry little club of east end children last evening.

The Misses Mackenzie, of south Coler street, have as their guests, their aunt, Mrs. Esther Goodrich, of Kenosha, Wis., and Mrs. E. O. Taylor, of Boston, and Altha Arnold, of Geneva, Wis.

Miss Carrie Tinsdale, of west High street, will be the hostess for the Blude club next Tuesday.

Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jones, of south Elizabeth street, entertained at dinner for Mr. and Mrs. Hannan, who are soon to leave this city. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. George Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Agarter, Mrs. Eberton and Miss Hannan.

The Land of the Midnight Sun, its Natural Features was the subject assigned to Mrs. C. J. Brotherton for her talk at the Women's club today at Mrs. Henry Moore's on west North street. Then Miss Grafton was to speak of the social conditions.

Mr. Allister Cameron, of Connecticut, Ohio, is visiting Lima relatives.

Miss Leota Wiles, of Cleveland, formerly of this city, is visiting her numerous friends in Lima.

Mr. Harry Rumble is quite ill with pleurisy.

Mrs. Irwin and daughter Helen, who have been the guests of Mrs. I. S. Motter for the past week, leave for their home in Goshen, Ind., Monday.

Miss Edna Lowe entertained a merry party of young people Thursday evening. Cards and music helped enliven the hours and dainty refreshments were a pleasing feature. The decorations were of a Christmas character, in keeping with the holiday spirit.

The Lotus club meets with Mrs. D. E. Hulan next Monday afternoon.

The Culture club were very pleasantly entertained on Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. L. H. Rogers, of Jameson avenue.

The Avalanto club meets again on Wednesday evening after a sometime vacation. Mrs. T. H. Foltz, of west High street, will be their hostess.

The Arbutus club meets Monday afternoon with Mrs. J. E. Sullivan, corner of High and Baxter streets.

The Culture club will meet Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Elmer Rudy, of west Wayne street.

Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Motter entertained a few friends very pleasantly at cards last evening for Mrs. Irwin, of Goshen, Ind.

Mrs. Llewellyn, of west High street, will be at home to the members of the Round Table Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Wm. McComb will be the hostess for the Coterie club Tuesday afternoon.

The Sorosis club will meet on Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George Robinson, of west Wayne street, a miscellaneous program being arranged.

Mrs. R. W. Stevens, of north McCull street, will be the hostess for the A. F. club next Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Thomas Laney, of west Market street, will entertain a few friends at cards in compliment to Miss Thompson, of Lexington, Ky., next Tuesday afternoon.

After a vacation of several weeks the Oleania club will again meet Monday evening with Mrs. Emory. They are to have a short program, the last number of which is the first chapter of an original story, by Mrs. E. V. Wells.

Mrs. T. M. Johnson, of west Market street, will be the hostess for the Philomathean club next Monday evening when they will resume their Shakespearean readings.

The Chafangians, after a short rest, resume their meetings and Miss Drusilla Reilly is to be their hostess Monday. The new year is the roll call, then the hostess will speak of Eocaccio; Miss Parrett, of Machiavelli, Miss Carter giving Tale of Villa France and Miss Hunton, the De Cameron.

Mrs. Ed Hull, of Chicago, is the guest of her niece, Mrs. A. Crow, of west Spring street.

Mrs. John Haver, of Columbus, is visiting relatives and friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Shockey, of east Elm street, gave pleasure to a number of friends Tuesday evening. All remaining to watch the old year leave and the new year come in.

A watch party with all its attendant fun, was enjoyed by a congenial crowd of young people at Miss Arline Shattuck's home on south Main street. Cards, dancing and games helped speed the waning hours of 1919 and to welcome the infant 1920.

The Avaiantes will meet with Mrs. Geo. Taylor on west Wayne street, instead of Mrs. T. H. Foltz, next Wednesday evening.

The Merry Makers were charmingly entertained last night by Bessie Agarter, of Bellefontaine avenue. A very profitable evening was spent by the little folks, followed by light refreshments. The guests of the club were: Leota Wiles, of Cleveland, Gladys Butler, Elia Oilphant and Nellie Ferguson, of this city.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Oma Clem, who is attending college in this city has returned from a visit with her parents in Carysville, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Lovett have returned to their home at Carysville, O., after a visit with friends in this city.

A. P. Iams has returned to his home in Botkins, after a visit with relatives in this city.

Miss Julia Karmier, who has been conducting a dressmaking establishment at Botkins for the past year, has returned to her home on north Elizabeth street, on account of ill health.

Edward Brown is visiting his mother at Lorain, Ohio.

Mrs. Michael Shaw has returned to her home at North Salem, Ohio, after a visit with friends in this city.

Miss Clara E. McCall is the guest of friends in Indianapolis.

Miss Leila Hanson, of north Elizabeth street, left this morning to attend school at the Villa Marie Academy at Erie, Pennsylvania.

Andrew Dimond and Emanuel Lawlor returned today to the Niagara University, Niagara Falls, New York, to resume their college course.

Leo Madigan, of Sidney, who has been the guest of his Lima friends for the past few days, left today for Leipsic to spend Sunday with his brother, C. H. & D. Agent Jas. Madigan.

S. R. Fish and family, of Grover Hill, are the guests of her mother, Mrs. Dalzell, of west Wayne street.

M. V. Blair, the popular chief at Thos. Sullivan's place on east Market street, is laid up with a severe attack of tonsillitis.

Miss Clara B. Fisher had as her holiday guest, Otto J. Jacobs, who has been studying law at the Eastman college, Poughkeepsie, N. Y., and who will return again on Wednesday to resume his studies.

Elliel and Ralph, daughter and youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. S. V. Andrews, 331 Park avenue, have gone to Van Wert, Ohio, to visit their grandmother, Mrs. Andrews.

W. S. Finicle, of west Elm street, left for Shelby, Ohio, last night to attend the funeral of his mother.

Messrs Kent and Paul Hughes will spend Sunday in Piqua.

Mrs. John Moore and children, of 815 Oak street, have returned home, after spending the holidays with relatives at North Baltimore and Haysville.

Mrs. Eugene Dahill is improving, after undergoing an operation at the city hospital.

Mrs. S. Rissor, of west Kibby street, was the hostess of her sister, Mrs. Henry Danner, of Dayton, and the latter's two daughters, Misses Clara and Bertha. Mrs. Charles Marler, of Columbus Grove, a sister-in-law of Mrs. Rissor, and her son, Roy, were also guests, the visitors departed for their respective homes yesterday.

Lewis H. Beall, Jr., left for Granville, O., today, returning to Denison University, after spending the holidays with his parents here.

Dolphos Herald—Mrs. M. E. Longworth returned this morning from where she was the guest of Madames Bentley and Reed. Mrs. Mrs. Henry Williams, of Lima, was the guest at the home of Mrs. Fred Satterthwaite and left Friday afternoon for Toledo.

Bob Edwards went to Lima this afternoon to visit for a few days.

Dr. A. N. Bruzelius, manager of the Boston Dental Association, returned last night from Boston, Mass.

RACING

Between Thoroughbred Homing Pigeons

Will Furnish Sport the Coming Spring.

An Association Organized and Several Fine Birds Have Been Imported Direct from Belgium.

Lima is to have a homing pigeon flying association to be known as the Shawnee district. Considerable interest is being taken in the selection of the birds, some of which have already been imported direct from Belgium, while other members are buying from American fanciers.

The citizens of Lima are welcome to visit the lofts and inspect the fine birds that are to compete in the early spring races. Anyone wanting to join the association can obtain information by consulting any of the members. The following are the charter members and officers of the association: Harry Johnson, president and liberator; Charles Stargan, vice president; Ray Brown, secretary and treasurer; John Cashner and John Erwin, race committee; Simon Stewart, Charles Banta, John Lumm, A. Vanhook, Wm. East and John West.

DEAL

In Oil and Gas Property Closed.

Transfer Made

By Maire Bros. to Eastern Capitalists

Of 2,700 Acres of Producing Territory West of This City.

The Big Deal Also Includes a Contract With Kerlin Bros. for Gas Furnished the Town of Delphos.

One of the most important deals in oil and gas property of northwestern Ohio that has been made for some time was closed last evening when the interests of Maire Bros., in Marion and Amanda townships, west of Elida and Allentown, passed into the hands of James R. Browne and other eastern capitalists who are associated with him.

The property that was transferred in the consummation of the big deal includes 2,700 acres of producing territory, with 69 producing wells that furnish a production of more than 7,000 barrels of crude a month, 4 wells that are now drilling and a contract with Kerlin Bros., of Toledo, for gas consumed by the town of Delphos. No less than \$125,000 was the consideration paid for the property. The deal was made by H. G. Curren and Warren P. Melly & Co.

Another deal of some importance was closed within the past week by H. G. Curren, of Curren & Peteror, of New York, who purchased from Herring and the Federal Oil company, of this city, the Duncan Heffner and Snyder leases, in Perry township, for \$15,000. There are five wells, producing 30 barrels per day, making a price of \$500 per barrel.

Field News. Michael Lynch, who has been field foreman for Maire Bros., in charge of the territory in Amanda and Marion townships, has been transferred with that property to the service of its new owners, and as a New Year's gift he has received from his new employers a horse and buggy.

In the property just sold by Maire Bros. there is a well on the Powell farm that has been 20 feet in the sand for some time and makes frequent flows. The drillers have a fishing job and are frequently forced to stop fishing and put the well to pumping. There are three other wells now drilling on the same farm.

The drillers have a bad hole in a new well on Curren's Heffner lease, east of this city.

J. R. Browne is putting up a rig on the Neff farm, 2 miles west of Hume, the lease on which he recently purchased through Warren P. Melly & Co. There are twelve old wells on the lease.

Maire Bros. have struck a heavy gusher on the Wright farm, near the Mountaineer church in Marion township.

Wilbur, Herring & Duncan are starting a well on the Stevenson farm in section 22, Perry township.

The casing has been pulled in the Margaret Morris well in York township, Van Wert county. The shot did not bring much oil. Herring and Wilbur and the Federal Oil Co., have recently leased a large territory in York and have put down two test wells both of which are failures. It is not known whether they will risk any more wells before giving up the territory.

The National Oil Co., has moved a string of tools from Berne, Ind., to the Edward Jones farm near Ft. Recovery, and will drill a well there immediately.

MANUAL

Training School to be Opened in Lima Soon.

The Original Project Changed and the School Will be Conducted by Correspondence.

Rev. R. W. Christen who has been at work for several months on the project for the establishment of a manual training school for colored students in this city has returned from a trip to Scranton and Pittsburgh and has decided to change his plans for the operation of the proposed school. He will in the near future, open offices

OLD FATHER TIME

Has passed another milestone on the road to eternity. 1901—Old, weary and jaded has gone the way of all old years. 1902—young, brisk, bright and bounding has jumped into the arena of the ages. So now, while the new year is young, we desire to stop moment and thank all those who have favored us with their patronage during the past year, and extend the hope that our old customers will continue with us during the coming year. Also, that you, who have never traded with us, will decide to "try us just once, anyway."

There is nothing in Drugs, Cigars, Perfumery and Toilet Articles that you cannot find here—and find attached to a pleasing price. Here's one offering from a store full of such offerings to persuade you to give us your patronage—We'll give 20 and 25 per cent. discount on Hot Water Bottles during January and February, and guarantee them for one year. Two quart bottles 75c, three quart bottles \$1.00. Bulb Syringes from 50c to \$1.00, Fountain Syringes from \$1.00 to \$1.75, Atomizers 50c to \$1.00.

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BANQUET

In Honor of the Retiring Officials

To be Served at the Hoffman Monday Evening.

The Newly Elected Officials and All Those Connected With County Affairs Will be in Attendance.

Monday morning there will be four officials of Allen county retired to at least temporary private life and the oath of office will be taken by their successors. Sheriff Rogart retires to be succeeded by Dr. E. J. Barr, coroner E. G. Burton's term also expires and Dr. Andrew Bice will look after the duties of the office for the next two years. As representative of the county Hon. Chas. A. Agtias steps down and out, prepared to enter into a vigorous campaign for congressional honors, and his successor, J. W. Manges, is now taking a part in the exciting scenes at Columbus. The fourth retiring official is Infirmary Director Peter Lies, who is succeeded by W. E. Grubbs. As a fitting testimony to these gentlemen, and as a mark of brotherly appreciation, the remaining officials at the court house have arranged to royally banquet the out going and in-

coming officials, and the affair has been turned over to Miss Hostess of the Hoffman house, who will prepare and serve the feast. The event will take place Monday evening and plates will be laid for 41 guests.

RESULT

Of I. O. O. F. Election Officially Announced.

George C. Kolb, of Cincinnati, succeeded in Defeating Leonard Walther, of This City.

The result of the election of Grand officers for the Odd Fellows has been officially announced from Toledo as follows: Grand master, J. L. Beyer, of Portaria; Deputy Grand master, C. G. Favey, of Washington Court House; Grand Warden, George C. Kolb, of Cincinnati; Grand Secretary, C. W. Lyman, of Pomeroy; Grand Treasurer, Charles E. Niles of Madlay; Grand Representative, John C. Whitaker, of Dayton. Leonard Walther, of this city and I. M. Jordan, of Chillicothe, were also in the race for the office of Grand Warden, but the successful candidate went to good effect that Northwestern Ohio had had its share of honors in the present and this fact greatly assisted in the election of Mr. Kolb, of Cincinnati. Mr. Walther will be in the race again next year with confidence of being able to come under the wire a winner.